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Like it or not, four-letter words face one everywhere. No longer do those naughty-boy scrawls appear only as chalk marks blurred through the grime of a Penn Central window. In drama, prose, and poetry — as in Chaucer — one is supposed to tell it like it is. Whether this be good or bad we leave to you, as ladies, to judge. Our interest centers rather upon language in another way: examining familiar words for fresh ideas, searching out fallacies, discovering with pure joy unexpected truths in unthought of paradoxes. "Freedom," "chronology of taste," "regeneration," "time waits 2,000,000 years." Pinpointing words and phrases, articles in this issue offer ideas worth pondering over, to savour with pleasure, or even to reject in disappointment. It is not necessary to agree with the authors, but imperative that with mental steps of your own, you match their stride through trees of knowledge.





*Although Mr. Woody is on leave this semester, he is seen frequently on campus with everybody's friend, Sam, who obviously expected rain the day this picture was taken, and was prepared to hold an umbrella over his master's head.*



# FREEDOM and Revolutionary Tyranny\*

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**F**reedom and Revolutionary Tyranny is not a novel topic for a philosopher. It is already dealt with in Plato, towards the end of the *Republic*, where Socrates describes the transition from the democratic pursuit of freedom to the tyrannical state through a revolution animated by economic conflict. Hegel deals with the issue in a celebrated passage in the *Phenomenology of Mind* entitled "Absolute Freedom and Terror," in which he analyzes the transformations leading from the French revolution to the reign of terror to the Napoleonic dictatorship. More recently, Albert Camus has traced the problem through a series of historical forms in his book, *The Rebel*. I shall not describe to you the theories of these authors, though I have tried to learn from them all. Nor shall I attempt to analyze the history of specific revolutions, as does Camus, for this falls outside of my special field of competence. Rather, I shall concern myself with questions having to do with the nature of freedom and its relation to revolution and tyranny.

Hegel's title, "Absolute Freedom and Terror," aptly evokes the specific issue which concerns me. Why is it that revolutions, which set out to realize or enhance the scope of human freedom, so often lead to reigns of terror and tyranny — to what Hegel called "a rage and fury of senseless destruction" epitomized in "the grizzly harvest of the guillotine"? Revolutions pit themselves against tyranny of some form. What is it that sometimes

leads them to instate new tyrannies in place of the old? Camus states the issue brutally:

Freedom, 'that terrible word inscribed on the chariot of the storm,' is the motivating principle of all revolutions. Without it, justice seems inconceivable to the rebel's mind. There comes a time, however, when justice demands the suspension of freedom. Then terror, on a grand or small scale, makes its appearance to consummate the revolution. Every act of rebellion expresses a nostalgia for innocence and an appeal to the essence of being. But one day nostalgia takes up arms and assumes the responsibility of total guilt; in other words, adopts murder and violence.<sup>1</sup>

Later, he adds: "The majority of revolutions are shaped by, and derive their originality from murder. All, or almost all, have been homicidal."<sup>2</sup>

Those are harsh phrases. Yet it is not Camus' purpose, nor is it mine, to attack all revolutions in a conservative defense of stability, law and order. There are surely occasions when political and social conditions warrant the overthrow of the established order, when revolution is far better justified by events than was the American revolution, for example. Indeed, it might be argued that during almost the entirety of human history social conditions have been such as to warrant revolutionary action. Nor do revolutions invariably or inevitably lead to terror and tyranny. My purpose, then, is not to discredit revolutions, but to ask why they so often discredit themselves by contradicting their own goals.

For I take it that Camus is right and that freedom is the goal and animating principle of every genuine revolution. In a loose sense, we may refer to any attempt to overthrow the established government as a revolution. But to be more precise, a military *coup d'état* is not a revolution. Nor is a rebellion which seeks to unseat a reigning monarch in favor of a pretender to the throne, nor the restoration of an ousted monarch, a revolution in the strict sense of the term. A group which sets out to overthrow the established political order with the deliberate purpose of seizing exclusive power for themselves can scarcely qualify as a band of revolutionaries, even though revolutionaries may end in doing just the same thing. You may regard it as a stipulative definition, if you like, but I shall take the idea of revolution to refer

\*Last fall I became involved in a conversation with a student about the authoritarian overtones of contemporary movements. A series of historical examples of the same odd conjunction of revolutionary fervor and authoritarian tactics quickly dispelled any notion that this was a peculiarity of some branches of the "new left". The end of our conversation left us both puzzling over this contradictory mixture. But when I was asked to speak at the Honors Assembly on some topic arising from my special field of research which has to do with the nature of freedom, I was delighted to have the occasion to return to the topic of that conversation, since most of my work on freedom takes the form of rather abstruse and metaphysical reflections such as could scarcely be expected to excite much interest in such a varied audience. Hence, I cannot pretend that the topic, Freedom and Revolutionary Tyranny, is really the product of my research. But it offers me the opportunity to apply the products of my research to a topic of broader interest and of some contemporary relevance.



only to rebellions which aim at realizing or enhancing human freedom. If a revolution is to succeed, then, it must not merely manage to overthrow the established social or political order, but must achieve a new order which embodies at least some enlargement of the scope of freedom. Given this criterion of successful revolution, Camus presents us with a brief, and depressing, tally of failures:

All modern revolutions have ended in a reinforcement of the power of the state. 1789 brings Napoleon; 1848, Napoleon III; 1917, Stalin; the Italian disturbances of the twenties, Mussolini; the Weimar Republic, Hitler. These revolutions, particularly after the first World War had liquidated the vestiges of divine right, still proposed, with increasing audacity, to build the city of humanity and of authentic freedom. The growing omnipotence of the state sanctioned this ambition on each occasion.<sup>3</sup>

To this tally sheet, we could add a number of Latin American examples and what we know of the tyrannical and terroristic overtones of contemporary revolutionary groups. It would almost seem that most revolutions are not only homicidal, but suicidal as well, in that they end by subverting that freedom which was their goal.

It is the task of the historian to explain how each of these revolutions led to terror and tyranny through a unique series of events. But taken all together, the sheer number of these instances of failure poses a problem for the philosopher of freedom. For the accumulation of examples hints ominously that there is some flaw in the very nature of revolution in general which renders it vulnerable to this inversion of its own purposes. Can there be something in the logic of the revolutionary program which dislocates the struggle for freedom onto a path of murder and oppression? Can it even be that Plato was right when he suggested that it is the very ideal of freedom itself which harbors the seeds of oppression and tyranny? Can the study of the nature and dynamics of freedom tell us anything about why revolutions fail even in succeeding?

There is a feature of freedom which is conspicuously relevant to these questions. The active exercise of freedom is always destructive. In a way, of course, all change is destructive. But natural forces do not destroy by intent or design, and in a sense it is therefore inappropriate to speak of destruction in this case. One state of the world simply disappears in the very process of producing another. Animate nature maintains itself by consuming itself, organisms feeding upon

other organisms. In the case of animals then, it might be more appropriate to speak of intentional destruction. Yet when my dog digs great pits which destroy my lawn, I cannot accuse him of deliberate destruction, for the very notion of destruction is alien to his consciousness. It is often said that only man destroys gratuitously, and if so, it is surely because only man is capable of destroying willfully, deliberately. And to act freely is to deliberately and intentionally destroy the world which existed prior to my action. Through free action, I become responsible for the fact that that world no longer exists. That claim will surely seem an egregious exaggeration — but it seems so for two reasons which normally prompt us to overlook this destructive aspect of freedom. First, in the case of most individual action, the extent of the destruction involved is trivial. If I cut down a tree in my woodlot and burn it as firewood, I destroy the tree, but the rest of the world remains the same. True enough for the rest of the world, but the world as a whole in which that tree still stood has nonetheless been destroyed. The sense in which this is true is so trivial in most cases that it can only seem a hyperbole to thus implicate the whole world in every free act.

Second, this stress upon the destructive aspect of freedom seems perverse because in most cases the purpose of free action is not to destroy, but to create. I act in order to bring something about, to change some aspect or feature of the world. In so doing, I incidentally destroy the way things were before. But my attention is directed to the new state of affairs I am producing, not the old one I am destroying. Destruction does not form an explicit part of my purpose, which is entirely positive. It seems outrageous sophistry to describe the archaeologist, who painstakingly collects and pieces together the shards of an ancient pot, as engaged in deliberately destroying the world in which the pieces were strewn about in the soil. Even the most deliberately destructive actions do not usually aim at destruction as such, but at bringing about some positive result through that destruction.

These objections must be granted. Yet the destructive moment of the free act is always there, however trivial an aspect it may be in most cases of individual action, and however it may be enveloped in some more positive purpose. And what is trivial in the case of individual action may become conspicuous where large numbers of individuals are involved as they are in revolutions, actions which destroy the existing social and





political order of entire nations. Here again, the destruction which occurs may be incidental to the positive goals of the revolution. But in this case, we are faced with the peculiar instance in which the positive goal is freedom itself — and this introduces a peculiar kink into the logic of the action.

Freedom makes a strange goal. Just what is it that we want when we want freedom? Exactly what is it that we aspire to attain in setting this as a goal? Strangely enough, it is impossible to say. Whenever we do try to say exactly what it is we are after, we end up talking about something else. When I pressed my students to explain exactly how the abolition of parietal hours would lead to greater freedom, it turned out, of course, that they had other goals in mind. There is nothing dishonest in that. For it is of the very nature of freedom to refer beyond itself to other goals. To be free is to be free to act, to do something. To do just what exactly? Why, whatever I may decide to do, to pursue whatever goals I may choose. Freedom implies no specific goals of its own, but refers to an indefinite array of goals among which individuals may choose for themselves. How, then, can freedom itself become a goal? If freedom is freedom to act — then how can the goal of action be freedom?

The answer is obvious enough. Men make freedom itself their goal when they find themselves opposed, confined, constrained, oppressed, when they are prevented from doing what they decide to do, from pursuing goals of their own choosing, when their world or their society forces them to act against their wills, or leaves them little or no room for choice. Then, cut off from actions and goals of their own free choosing, they turn to make freedom itself their goal. But this inevitably forces the destructive aspect of freedom into the foreground, since to act with freedom as one's purpose is to attempt to destroy whatever opposes, confines or constrains, to do away with an oppressive world. Freedom is not an end in itself. To act for the sake of freedom is to act for the sake of being able to act in other ways, in pursuit of other goals.

How does this bear upon revolutions and their failure? Precisely because revolutionary acts are ones which do take freedom as their goal. The very logic of freedom is such that, as a goal, it makes the primary or initial revolutionary aim a destructive one — to overthrow the king, to oust the British, to do away with capitalist society; in short, in one way or another, to destroy a political or social order which is oppressive. We can begin to see, too, why revolutions so readily



turn to murder and terror. As social acts, the world they aim to destroy is a human world. As acts of revolution rather than reform, they aspire to accomplish this through a single, abrupt transformation. But the abrupt destruction of a human order can scarcely be achieved without destroying men. This may be justified. The revolutionary values liberty above life, and in any case, fewer men may be destroyed than would have been destroyed by the tyrant he seeks to overthrow. Yet in adopting homicide as a means, the revolutionary has nonetheless already placed himself on the same plane with the tyrant.

Furthermore, if one cannot act freely without destroying, neither can one act freely without creating. If we must destroy what there was before in order to create something new, so too, we cannot destroy what there was before *without* creating something new. And just as the creative act tends to place the aspect of destruction in the background, so may the destructive act push the moment of creation into the background. To destroy a world which is oppressive and confining is not automatically to create one which is less so. We too easily think of realizing freedom solely in terms of cancelling limitations. The very nature of freedom as an ideal lends itself to this since it becomes an ideal only when limitations are conspicuous. It is especially, but not exclusively, the folly of youth to suppose that destruction of

the existing limitations will lead to complete and unlimited freedom. But unlimited freedom is a will o' the wisp, an impossible goal. For freedom is not absence of limitation, but self-limitation. To destroy one set of limitations is to produce a new state of affairs with its own novel limits which may, or may not, be less constricting than the old.

It is easy to see, then, why revolutions may succeed in their initial aim but fail of their primary and final aim of enhancing freedom. To succeed in the initial aim, it is only necessary to destroy what exists. But to succeed in the primary aim requires a solution to the creative problem of the revolution, which is to establish a new order which is freer than the old. But because freedom is not an end in itself nor a specific, determinate goal, this creative problem is far more difficult to solve. The ideal of freedom dictates no specific order of society. It only requires that men be able to pursue various goals, but not the nature of those further goals. And in pursuing those specific goals, men limit one another's freedom and produce an order of society which reflects the nature of their purposes.

The revolutionary who supposes that the society which emerges from the revolution cannot possibly be any worse than that which it destroys, is both naive and forgetful. He is naive because it could, in fact, very well be worse — or just as bad.





He is forgetful of the creative moment in the very act of destroying the old order. He creates a new world, whether he wills it or not — and if he does not will it, someone else will. Revolutions animated by no positive vision are easy prey to new tyrants who are capable of imposing some order upon post-revolutionary confusion. Revolutionaries who disclaim positive goals thereby jeopardize their own aspirations.

But revolutionaries who do face the creative task and espouse visions of the new world are no less a threat to the aims of revolution. Indeed the more precise their plans, the more dangerous they are likely to prove. Their visions of the new order are apt to prove both too narrow and too novel. They are apt to be too narrow because they tend to be designed to exclude the specific form which oppression had taken before the revolution, and to reflect the specific purposes which had been frustrated by that oppression. They are apt to be too novel for a society accustomed only to the old ways. The revolutionary leadership may all too readily identify the cause of freedom itself with their specific social vision. Having accepted murder and terror as means to the end of freedom already, they may readily continue to employ these instruments in attempting to impose their vision upon others. And so it can happen that the leaders of revolution become tyrants in their turn, and that tyranny is perhaps more often exercised in the name of freedom than in any other guise.



In sum, perhaps revolutions fail of their goals because of the very goal which defines them as revolutions, and which might serve to justify them if only it does not get subverted in the destructive process. Revolutions aim at freedom. But freedom is the most slippery and evanescent ideal of all. Never an end in itself, freedom is an ideal empty of all specific social content. It gets its filling from those purposes which it allows men to pursue. Yet those very pursuits all too easily destroy the conditions of freedom. The pursuit of revolution is no exception just because its purpose is freedom itself. If anything, the very emptiness and ambiguity of that ideal are likely to make its realization through revolution a self-devouring act which swallows up its own purposes and the revolutionaries themselves, and only leaves a fresh tyranny in its wake.

But if revolutions often fail, they do not fail necessarily. Again, it has not been my purpose to discredit revolutions, but only to see what light the philosophy of freedom might cast upon those which end in contradicting their own purposes. The ideal of freedom may be evanescent and difficult to secure, but it is nonetheless vital and noble. It is not a final goal, or an end in itself, but for a people suffering under tyrannical oppression, it is the necessary precondition of all other goals. One cannot do with freedom alone; yet one can do nothing without it, for without freedom one cannot act, but only be acted upon. If there is a moral to my reflections, it is not that revolutions are all bad or self-defeating, or that the cause of freedom never justifies revolutionary action. Rather, it is to remind us that revolutions fail through the neglect of their positive task which is to create a social order in which men need no longer pursue freedom, but can exercise it in the pursuit of other goals. But that creative task of revolution is an extraordinarily difficult one and it cannot end with the revolution. For in pursuing their goals, men inevitably limit one another's freedom. To design a society which would involve a minimum of such mutual limitation is an overwhelming problem which can never be finally resolved. It is probably not even desirable to attempt it since there are surely other goals and other values which men ought to achieve, and for the sake of which we should be willing to freely limit our own freedom.

#### Footnotes

1. Albert Camus, *The Rebel* (New York, 1956), p. 105.
2. *Ibid.*, p. 108.
3. *Ibid.*, p. 177.



# A Chronology of TASTE

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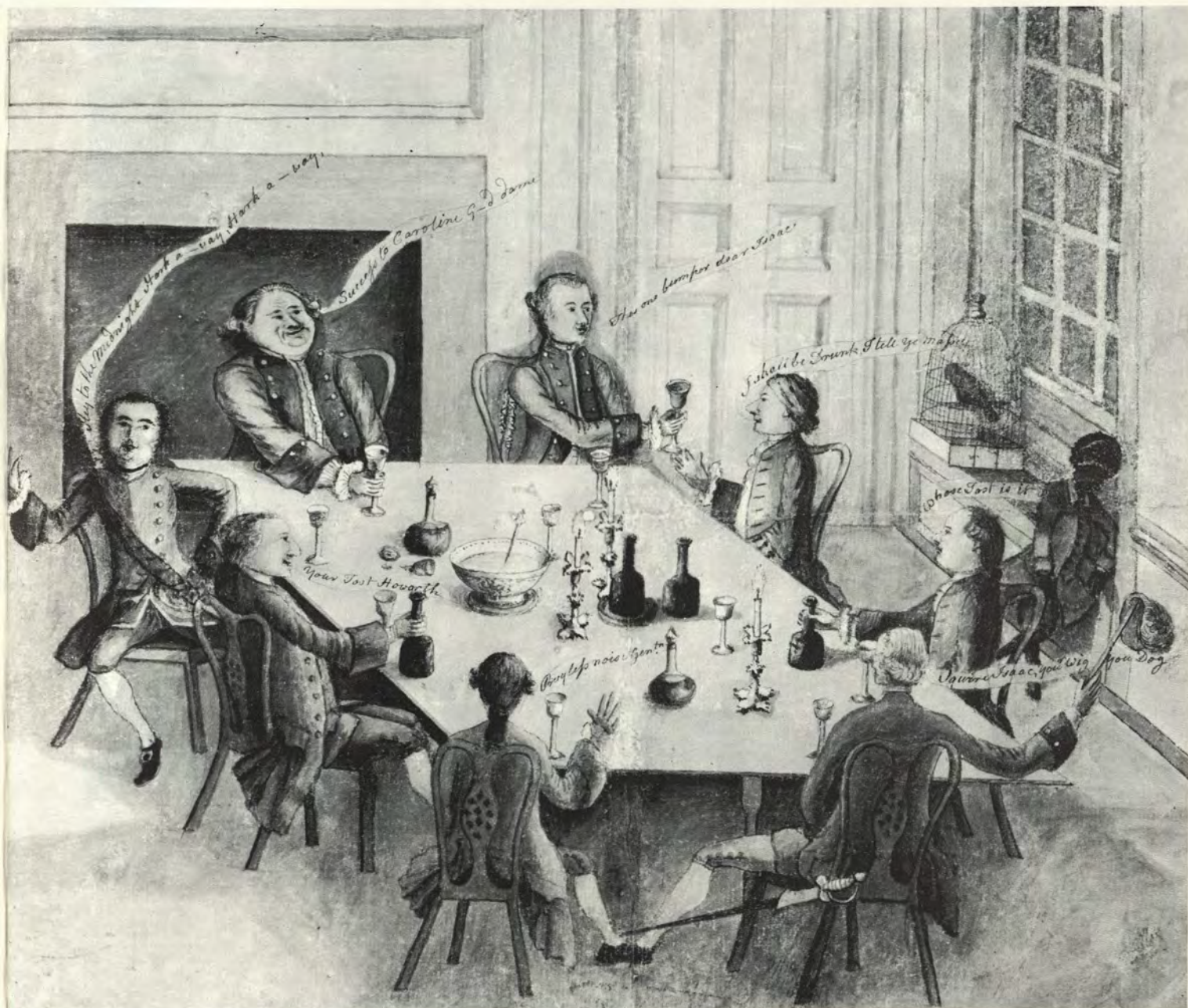
It has been a time-honored practice to impose one's own taste when attempting to restore or interpret the fabric of the past. Often this is because of the lack of reliable source material — be it architectural, graphic, or artistic. Today, at a time when we are increasingly interested in the architecture and decorative arts of the past, the source material is being rapidly destroyed by urban sprawl and border-to-border superhighways. The enormous task of preservation and restoration has enlisted the energies of professionals and amateurs alike. Such organizations as *The National Trust for Historic Preservation*, *The Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities*, the *Antiquarian and Landmarks Society of Connecticut*, and local historical groups all over the country provide the impetus and guidance. Successful preservation, however, depends upon a knowledge of what the buildings and interiors were like originally — a knowledge based on careful research of contemporary documents and buildings. All too often, the well-meaning restorer creates an attractive room, "as it might have appeared," with no particular source or documentation.

Some three years ago, realizing that little documentary material is readily available, Edgar deN. Mayhew, professor of art and director of the Lyman Allyn Museum, began investigating sources

and gathering material for a book to be illustrated with contemporary paintings, drawings, and photographs. Assisted by a generous grant-in-aid from the American Philosophical Society, he has collected over 1,000 examples of American interiors. Although research is still in progress, the following illustrations and captions have been selected by Mr. Mayhew to show progress to date.

During the eighteenth century, he has found, the graphic arts in America reflect little interest in the details of an interior. An occasional chair beside a curtained window or a tea table before a fireplace may appear in a portrait or conversation piece, but for the most part one must rely on inventories and wills for descriptions of an entire room. Early in the nineteenth century individual and group (usually family) portraits began to appear in fairly detailed interiors. These are invaluable sources of information on paint colors, wallpaper, rugs, furnishings, draperies, and accessories. Genre painting of the 1840-1870 period is especially rich in such source material. Toward the end of the century the professional photographer appeared, and it became the fashion to have all the rooms in the house recorded. This sort of documentation tended to disappear after the turn of the century. Mr. Mayhew's survey ends in 1914 when the Edwardian world vanished in the conflict of World War I.





Peter Manigault and His Friends, by George Roupell.  
 Charleston, South Carolina, c. 1760.  
 Black ink and wash on paper, 10-3/16" x 12-3/16".  
 Courtesy, The Henry Francis duPont Winterthur Museum.

This rare example of an eighteenth-century genre scene shows a fine set of Queen Anne chairs around a large gateleg table set with many drinking accessories. Note the graceful decanters, the bottles, porcelain syllabub bowl, candlesticks, and tall-stemmed glasses.





The Samuels Family, by Johann Eckstein.  
 England, 1788. Oil on canvas.  
 Courtesy, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Ellen Kellerman Gardner Fund.

The detailed interior of this family portrait exhibits an agreeable mixture of styles in furniture and accessories. The tea service, mantle garniture, fireplace equipment, family portraits, Adam looking glass, and brightly patterned rug reflect the family's taste. The paneling has been reduced to a dado below a wallpaper border. Wallpaper begins to appear in America in the Boston area about 1790.





Elizabeth Fenimore Cooper, Painted in Otsego Hall, 1816.  
 Watercolor, 21½" x 25½".  
 Courtesy, New York State Historical Association, Cooperstown, N.Y.

A Federal interior of 1816 telling us a good deal about the taste of the period. Floors were either fully carpeted or covered with a painted floor cloth. Wallpaper was widely used; here the paper has a yellow ochre background, popular at this time when softer colors dominated. The ubiquitous Windsor chair has made its appearance, and we note the slipcover on the sofa and the netting over the chandelier for the summer. Mrs. Cooper must have been especially proud of the plants in tubs before the windows and the smaller one at her feet. Either she or her servant, Joseph Stewart, surely had a very green thumb.

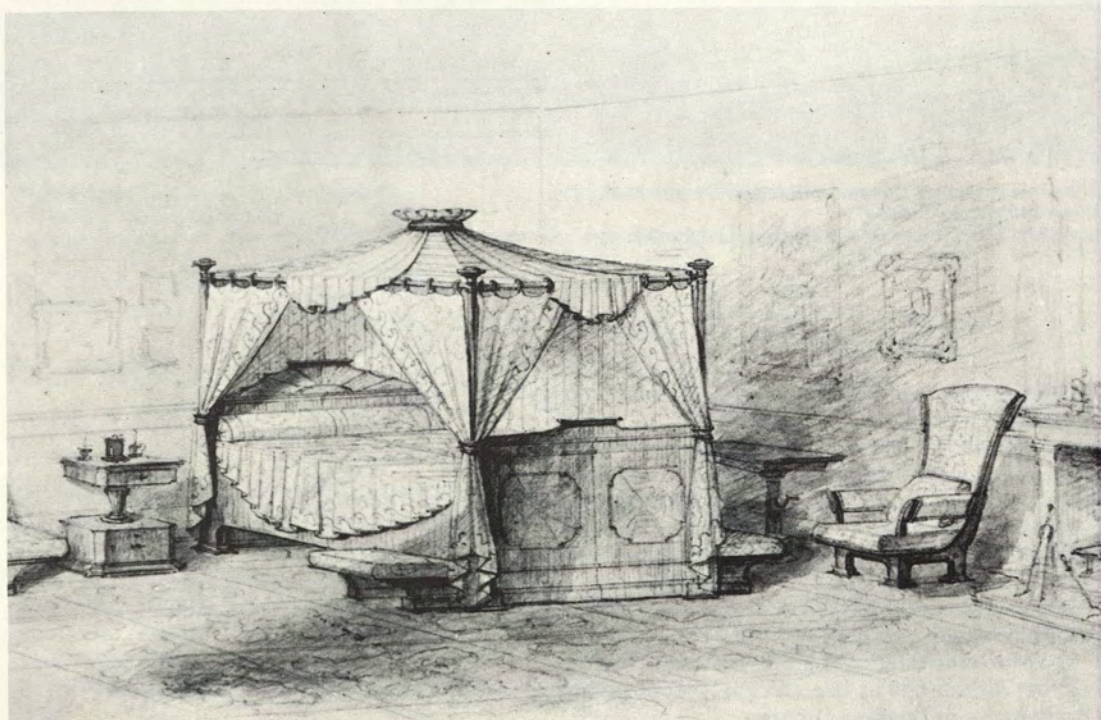


This drawing, showing a most elaborate treatment of bed hangings, appears to be a professional rendering. The bed is a variant of the Empire sleigh-type and reflects the impact of French taste. The easy chair, low benches beside the bed, and the small bedside table are highly individual in design. Note the appearance of pictures in considerable number on the wall; in another twenty years prints and paintings will hide the paper completely.

*Drawing of a New York bedroom, 1830.*

*Cowdery #1495.*

*Courtesy, Cooper-Hewitt Museum of Design, Smithsonian Institute, New York City.*





Here we have a studio photograph illustrating many details of a typical Victorian rococo interior in the 1845-1880 period. Furniture in the style of Louis XV was very popular and usually made of rosewood, walnut, or mahogany upholstered in brocade or velvet. Plush, fringe, and lace curtains were used extensively. Rococo scrolls are repeated in the curves of the marble fireplace and in the pair of Staffordshire vases on the mantle. Dark, rich tones prevailed in carpet, upholstery, and wallpaper — usually a rich pattern with frequent repeats. The chair in the foreground is of papier-mâché, painted black, with gold trim and mother-of-pearl inlay. Art glass, painted china, and bronze and marble statuary were widely collected and exhibited at this time on mantle, hearth, and what-not.

*Victorian rococo parlor in the home of Garret Fitzgerald Watson.  
Richmond, Virginia. Photograph, 1870-1880.  
Courtesy, Valentine Museum, Richmond, Virginia.*







Home of Elsie de Wolfe and Elizabeth Marbury.  
Dining room before redecorating.  
New York City, 1896. Photograph by Byron.  
Courtesy, Museum of the City of New York, Byron Collection.

The fashion of literally filling a room with objects of every description continued to the end of the century. Here we see "colonial" furniture inspired by the Centennial of 1876; the sideboard and standing clock are antiques. An elaborate Chippendale mirror over the mantle is almost hidden by the extensive display of plates. Indeed, plates appear everywhere — over the door and mantle, and on racks above the sideboard. The carved marble mantle is also typical of those found in New York City brownstones at the end of the nineteenth century.





Same dining room after redecorating.  
New York City, 1898. Photograph by Byron.  
Courtesy, Museum of the City of New York, Byron Collection.

Elsie de Wolfe, an important tastemaker at the turn of the century, made interior decorating her career and used her own house as a showcase for ideas. This transformed dining room is a striking example of some of those ideas. Notable changes are the removal of most of the wall decoration, the introduction of mirrors, and the white trim. The table and sideboard have remained, but the introduction of *Louis Seize* chairs adds a light touch. Miss de Wolfe stamped her taste for *Louis Seize* on the fashionable world when she redid the dining room of the Colony Club in New York and created the "Ritz" look still prevalent today. Her book, *The House in Good Taste*, published in 1913, was of immense importance; it stressed white walls, light colors, French furniture, and the use of chintz. "Everything should be covered with chintz," she said.





Living room of Judge McGowan's house.  
Alaska, circa 1900.  
Courtesy, Seattle Historical Society.

The small table and chair in the foreground are in Mission style, typical of the taste at the turn of the century. Mission furniture was mass-produced and based on pieces from the Spanish Southwest. To relieve an otherwise bare look, oriental rugs, a burnt-wood Art Nouveau taboret, and a cozy corner were added. Ceramics, especially steins which we see here above the doorways, were still popular as decoration. Plain oatmeal paper usually covered the walls, and beams were often exposed. Rough logs give the room a distinct pioneer flavor, as do the antlers. Ivy was popular as a plant and as a design motif at this time — here it is used as a decoration for a party.





Drawing room, George M. Pullman residence.  
Chicago, circa 1900.  
Courtesy, Chicago Historical Society.

Although they are both of the same date, this drawing room contrasts strongly with the Alaskan interior. It reflects a wealthy sophisticated taste, aware of European tradition and possibly influenced by Elsie de Wolfe, for the style is in her beloved *Louis Seize*. The upholstery is needle-point, and the carpet was probably woven to fit the room (the polar bear rug is an unneeded touch). French prints were extremely popular, with Boucher and Watteau much in demand for their decorative value. Both in source and inspiration, the trim, mouldings, and wallpaper are all late eighteenth century. This French look was

found in many American and English houses during the Edwardian period. Probably the most outstanding examples in the United States were such houses as *The Elms* and *The Breakers* in Newport. This drawing room is a more restrained version of the style as it moved west.

The year 1914 marked the end of highly individual interiors, for after World War I, taste was dictated by magazines such as *House and Garden*, *House Beautiful*, and *The Delineator*, and mass-produced revival styles prevailed.



# Where TIME WAITS 2,000,000 Years

Betty Flanders Thomson  
*Professor of botany*

If a knowledgeable woodsman of today could board a magic time-machine to take him back for a walk in the temperate forests of early Tertiary times, fifty or sixty million years ago and long before the Ice Age, he would find himself in a world that seemed familiar enough. He would recognize nearly all the plants in the forest around him; and if he knew the southern Appalachians well, that is probably where he would think he was.

Yet there would be certain differences. For this was a forest on a tremendous scale, and it reached with only minor variations for hundreds, even thousands of miles in all directions — reached, in fact, all the way around the world over a wide belt of latitude. The zones of climate, each with its corresponding vegetation, lay much farther north than now, and even the northern parts of the present United States and all but the northernmost part of Europe were covered with subtropical forest. The temperate, “summergreen” forest lay to the north, stretching across Alaska, Canada, Greenland, Scandinavia, and most of Russia and Siberia. Beyond that and as far as the land reached toward the pole the plants were those of cooler but still temperate climates. There was no land of perpetual ice and snow, and the Arctic had meaning only as the land of midnight sun and noonday stars. Only in the tropical zone was the climate like that of today, with the difference, however, that the belt of hot climate was wider. Rather surprisingly, the tropics were almost certainly very little if any hotter than now, and it was only a much more gradual decline of tem-

perature from the equator to the poles that made the great difference from the world of today.

In those remote times the contours of the earth's surface, too, had less of contrast. Most of the land was low and flat, and what variation there was consisted of quite moderate hills. With no mountainous barriers to interrupt the free flow of winds from the open ocean to regions far inland, the air was universally mild and moist, and rainfall plentiful everywhere. Nor were there any markedly wet and dry seasons. Even the difference between winter cold and summer heat was relatively small, just as in regions that have oceanic climates today. Such a genial environment would offer only moderate challenges in the lives of plants and animals, and a great variety of creatures lived together over a wide range of territory.

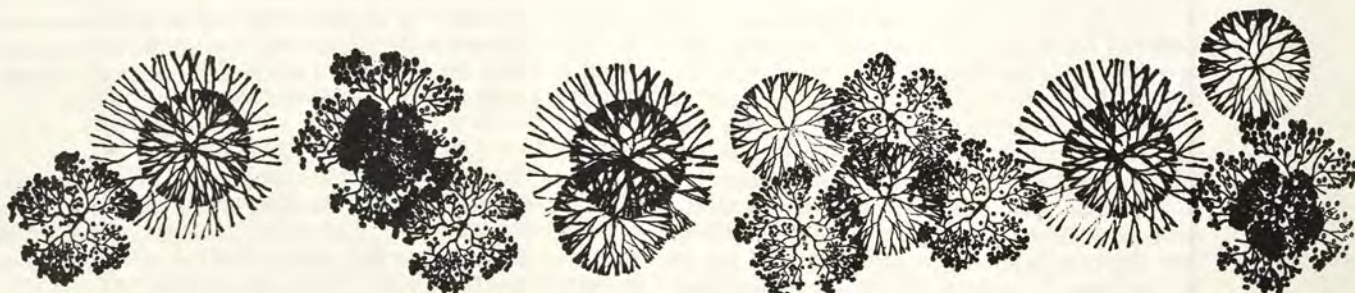
In those times the geography of the earth's land masses also was different from the present. All around the northern hemisphere there were wide belts of more or less continuous land. The shallow floor of Bering Strait between Asia and Alaska stood above water, and there probably were land connections from North America via Greenland and Iceland to northern Europe. Since there was nothing to stop plants and animals from migrating freely over great distances, given time enough, the inhabitants of North America were very much the same as those of corresponding parts of Europe and Asia. To us who are accustomed to the great variety of both landscape and vegetation of the present time, the aspect of that ancient world would seem monotonous.

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This article is an excerpt from a book in progress on the landscape of the Middle West. It is part of a chapter describing the forest from which the present vegetation of the Midwest is descended.

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In the millions of years that have passed since then, much of the earth's vegetation has been greatly changed. Yet through all this time, one area in North America remained as an undisturbed island where a remnant of the once world-encircling temperate forest continued to live on. This was the Appalachian Highland, an upland bounded on the west by the flooded Mississippi lowland, on the southeast by the fall line, where





the coastline lay until the fairly recent uplifting of the coastal plain, and on the north by the glacial border. Within this area the only changes of consequence for over 200 million years have been a rather moderate fluctuation of temperatures and the slow shifting of the land surface by periodic gentle uplift combined with constant erosion.

Ever since biologists began to turn their attention to such things, they have recognized the southern Appalachians as a region that supports an especially rich and abundant life. The ranges of many important forest trees overlap there, and it shelters both many individuals and many kinds of both plants and animals. A few kinds are found nowhere else, the so-called "endemics." For a temperate forest, it offers what must be ideal growing conditions, with plenty of year-round rain and a generally moist atmosphere, warm summers, and winters that are moderately cold but not very long or severe. The soil in its virgin condition is deep, dark and fertile, and the land is hilly enough to be well drained but not so steep as to be unstable. In every way it is a country of moderation so far as the life of the forest is concerned.

The lushest vegetation of the Appalachians is found in the Cumberland Mountains and in the forested "coves" of the Smokies — sheltered valleys that indent the sides of the mountains. A botanical study made not long ago has spelled out in detail the strong resemblance of the cove forest of the Great Smoky Mountain National Park to what we know of the temperate forest of fifty million years ago. When the list of plants now growing in the coves of the Smokies was compared with the list of plants known as fossils from the southeastern United States, it appeared that four out of five of those of the present forest also grew in the same region in Tertiary time. All the trees that now dominate the forest, as well as all the ferns, shrubs and woody vines of the present grew also in the ancient forest. Even among the

small, spring-flowering plants of the forest floor, those that are commonest and most widely spread had almost identical close relatives in the ancient forest. Perhaps the most conspicuous difference was the former abundance of sequoias and ginkgos, plants whose natural range in the modern world is very sharply limited.

As long ago as the eighteenth century days of the great Linnaeus, when naturalists were combing the far places of the globe for new wonders of natural history, it was recognized that eastern North America and eastern Asia share many kinds of plants that are found nowhere else in the world. The first careful comparison between the floras of North America and, in this case Japan, was made by Harvard Professor Asa Gray in 1846. This was a decade before the appearance of Darwin's *Origin of Species* and the doctrine of special creation was still widely accepted; so it is interesting to note that Gray called upon the same long-ago changes that we use today to explain the fact that two such remarkably similar groups of plants should live in areas so widely and so completely separated from each other. In the years since then, many more such studies have been made, and it has become clear that only one other part of the world shares with our own southern Appalachians the great similarity to the ancient Tertiary forest. That is eastern Asia, and especially central China. This spot of the earth, too, has been spared by the changes that have eliminated or greatly modified the ancient forest everywhere else, and it, too, is a land of hills and valleys with plenty of year-round rainfall and a real but moderate winter.

The forests of central China broke into the news in 1944 when living specimens were found there of a tree that was well known as a fossil but thought to be long extinct. This is a tall, fast growing cone-bearer that sheds its needles in winter but is otherwise much like its relative, the redwood. The fossil plant had long ago been named







*Decorative and fast-growing, the Metasequoia is valued highly by landscape architects. This majestic specimen stands in the Caroline Black Garden.*



*Metasequoia*, and for convenience of the non-scientific public it was now given the common name of "dawn redwood."

Soon after this remarkable discovery a scientific expedition was sent into the remote Chinese hinterland to study the living fossil on its home ground. This is a high valley about 150 miles east of Chungking, and although as the crow flies it is only fifty miles from the populous Yangtze valley, so far is it removed from the beaten path that the expedition had to walk in from the nearest town on the Yangtze for a distance of 120 miles.

There they found a true hidden valley, shut in by low mountains literally on all sides, as the Shui-hsa River that drains it escapes from the valley by an underground passage in the limestone bedrock. This no doubt explains why, in such a densely populated part of the world, this valley was first settled only about two centuries ago, within the lifetime of the grandfathers of some of the old people whom members of the expedition talked to. The first settlers had found the entire valley filled with dense forest; but since that time most of the hillsides have been cut over for timber and charcoal, and the flat valley floor is given over to rice paddies. Only in some of the side ravines that descend from the mountainsides and open out onto the valley floor does the *Metasequoia* appear to be growing under truly natural, undisturbed conditions. Many of the larger trees must have been well grown when the valley was settled, as counts of the growth rings made on borings from some of the trunks show they are about three hundred years old. One of the largest trees has a small and old temple at its base. The local people have always planted the tree around their farmsteads and along roadsides and riverbanks, and since they do not use the planted trees for any practical purpose, this seems to be an aesthetic matter.

Although *Metasequoia* grows vigorously when planted in a variety of places, both in China and elsewhere, it reproduces itself from seed only in the very special conditions of its native mountain ravines. There the seedbeds and natural nurseries are cool, dark, and damp places under a dense tangle of shrubs and vines. The seedlings are very tolerant of the deep shade, but they grow slowly at first, and it takes them a while to push through

the thickly matted overhead growth. Once they break through to the brightness above, however, the young trees grow rapidly, and it does not take many years for them to reach a height of a hundred feet.

The virgin remnants of *Metasequoia* forest are as strikingly similar to the temperate forest of Tertiary times as the lush cove forests of the Smokies. One tract of a thousand square meters — roughly twenty by fifty yards — was studied intensively. On it were found twenty-seven different kinds of trees, with six more kinds growing nearby, and in the tangled underbrush grew fifty different species of shrubs and vines. Of all these, *Metasequoia* itself was most abundant, with large numbers of individuals of all ages and sizes. Next to it came *Cunninghamia*, a pine-like evergreen tree, and the broadleaved chestnut and sweetgum.

No climatic data were available for that secluded place to allow an accurate comparison with the climate of other forested regions; but the presence of rice fields shows that the growing season is long, warm and wet, and the expedition learned that although winter rainfall is rather light, there is much high cloudiness and winter weather is generally humid. The surrounding mountains are high enough to shut out the wind, and real cold waves are almost unknown. Here is a spot that has apparently been untouched by climatic or geographical changes for millions of years, and it is no wonder that a fragment of ancient forest lingers on here long after it has disappeared from other parts of the world.

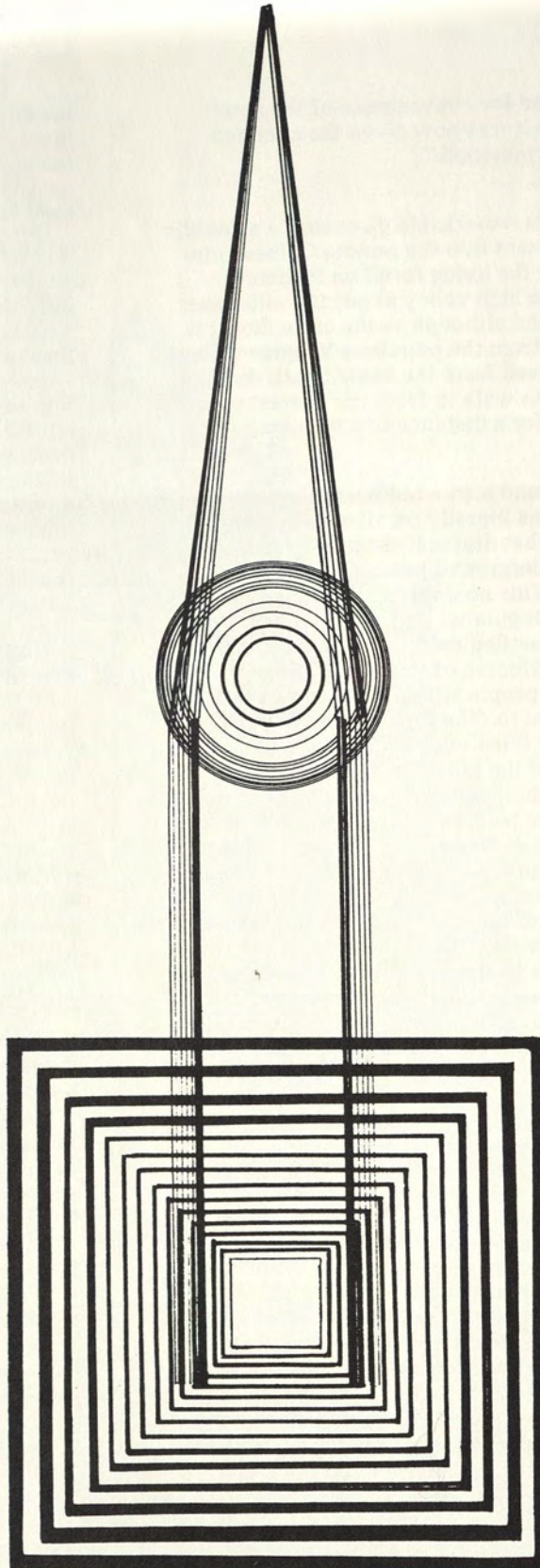
Many of the plants that grow in eastern Asia and eastern North America are so similar that experts use the identical scientific names for them. A homely example of this is the familiar skunk cabbage, *Symplocarpus foetidus*. Other pairs show detectable although small differences that have no doubt developed in the many generations since the two regions became so widely separated from each other. In still other cases there are similar groups of related species in the two places. Though these are not identical, the relation is close; and in the modern world it is only in the far east and in the North American east that you will find, as familiar examples from a long list, tulip-trees, sweetgum, catalpa, witch hazel, snowberry, spicebush, partridgeberry, phlox and trillium.





# The REGENERATION Gap

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**L**ast spring in the White House, on the occasion of his seventieth birthday party, Duke Ellington, that patriarch of truly American music, made the following remark: "The generation gap? I don't believe in the generation gap. I believe in regeneration gaps!" A pithy remark, and an immensely suggestive one. For in these few well chosen words the Duke cut through much of the nonsense that saturates the media today concerning the generation gap, and opened up the possibility of bridging it; of somehow filling in that great chasm which supposedly divides our homes, our nation and our world. So let us take another look at the generation gap, another look in the light of the Duke's provocative statement.

Right at the outset, we should realize that, as we examine this so-called gap a little more closely, we begin to see that the entire concept is at least a gross exaggeration, if not a complete fallacy. If there really is a generation gap, then how is it that so many of those who inspire the young revolutionaries of our time rest firmly on the other side of that gulf? Bill Coffin may look eternally young, but no stretch of the imagination could make Benjamin Spock look under thirty. I myself was at the October '67 March on the Pentagon, and believe me there were literally thousands of middle aged, middle class "respectable" people in that march — and that's not even counting Norman Mailer. And the same thing is true on the other side of the picture; despite an influential radical minority, the vast majority of young people today are still just as satisfied with the way things are as the vast majority of their parents.

And so I want to suggest to you that the gap which divides society today is not a generation gap but rather a regeneration gap. Now what precisely do I mean by this? Regeneration was originally and still is basically a religious concept. In the New Testament, Nicodemus, a religious leader, comes to Jesus secretly at night to question him. In response to his diplomatic opening, "Rabbi, we know you are a teacher come from God, . . ." Jesus sets him back on his heels with this strange, seemingly irrelevant statement about being born again: "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born anew he cannot see the Kingdom of God!"

Poor Nicodemus couldn't understand, "How can a man who is getting old, possibly be born again?" A natural question! And over the centuries since then, a continuous one to the Christian faith. What does it mean to be born again — to be regenerated?

Without necessarily rejecting any of the traditional interpretations the Church has given to this text, I would like to put forward another possible meaning for regeneration, for being born again. In order to do this, I propose that we first take a look at what it means to be born. For surely if we are to comprehend the analogy of rebirth we ought to begin with birth itself.

Although most of us do not remember it personally I am sure, modern medicine and psychoanalysis suggest to us that birth is not an altogether pleasant experience. The act of birth is one of being forced out . . . out from the warm, cozy security of the womb, into a cold, hard and lonely world. The protected, cushioned existence of the last months is gone forever; the link with the past, with mother, is cut irretrievably, suddenly we are on our own for the very first time. This is birth — being forced out from security into insecurity, from safety and comfort and ease into danger and hardship and the challenge to grow.

What then is rebirth? Is it not, in some sense at least, a repetition of this first experience? Could it not be that to be born again means to be expelled, to be thrust out of our cozy, comfortable niche in life and faced with a new, difficult, and tremendously insecure situation? I suggest that this is precisely what it means to be born again; precisely what it takes, as Jesus put it, to see and enter and participate in the Kingdom of God.

"Thus says the Lord," wrote the prophet Isaiah, "the Lord who makes a way in the sea, and a path in the mighty waters. . . . Remember not the former things nor consider the things of old. Behold! I am doing a new thing: now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?" The children of Israel in their moments of rebirth were faced with this same situation and were given the same choice: either to stay in the womb of Egypt or Babylon, in the security of slavery (for at least life went on even if it was in slavery), or to venture out into the unknown wilderness with nothing to sustain them but faith in the Lord who "makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters."

The Poet, e. e. cummings, put the same thing another way:

you . . . and i . . . can never be born . . . enough  
we are human beings . . .  
for whom birth . . .  
is a supremely welcome mystery . . .  
the mystery of growing . . .  
which happens . . .  
only . . .  
and whenever . . .  
we are faithful . . .  
to ourselves.



So we return to the regeneration gap, seeing it now as the gap between those who venture into the wilderness, and those who choose to remain in Egypt; the gap for our contemporary society between those of any age who are eager for the New that is breaking in, and those whose ties are exclusively with the securities of the Old; the gap between those of any age who are completely wedded to the *status quo*, and those who are moving ahead to change that *status quo*. Michael Novak, the Roman Catholic theologian, writes:

One's human development then may be articulated as the progressive expansion of one's horizon . . . by constantly stepping forward into the unknown: and by constantly taking risks, a man grows into and shapes both his own identity and his world. By contrast, to retreat from experience, understanding, judgment and decision is to refuse to grow, it is to constrict the circle of life and to diminish one's taste of reality.

Here we have it then, the regeneration gap. A society divided not by ages but by attitudes, not by generations but by loyalties — the regeneration gap.

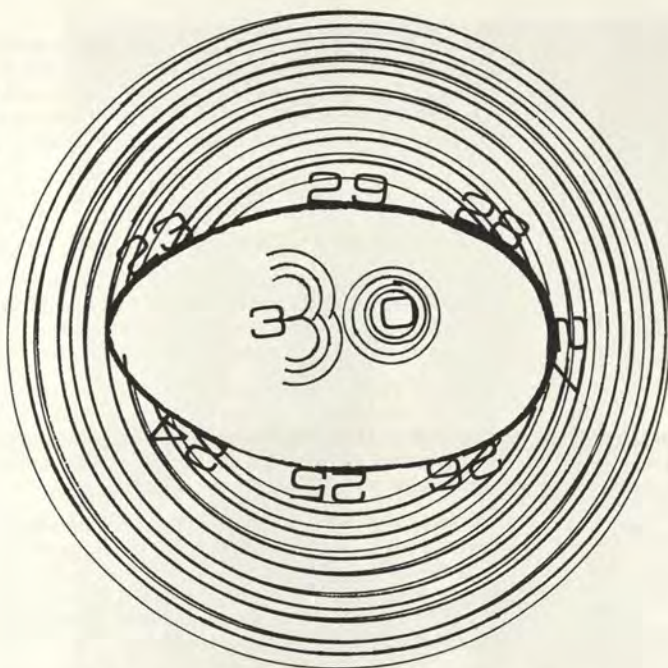
This is all most interesting, you might say, and of course as a new slant on the social analysis of our times quite fascinating, but where does it leave me? How does this idea affect me and my children and the gulf which still yawns between us whether you call it a generation gap, a regeneration gap, or a degeneration gap?

Let's get back to regeneration for a moment. Regeneration is not just a political position neither New Left nor Old Right; it does not simply mean participation in all the liberal causes, or even in the anti-war movement. As I said before, regeneration is primarily a religious concept, that is to say a concept which affects us at the deepest level of our existence, the level of ultimate concern. It is at this level that we come face to face with the call to be reborn.

And is this not what we really are seeking for in the depths of our hearts? Do we not want this, cry out for this in those rare moments when we stop and listen to our innermost selves? Is it not this very yearning for rebirth, for regeneration, that is reflected in all of our petty yearnings for newness







prophets of Israel saw working through all the events of history; the same power of love which nailed Jesus of Nazareth up on a piece of wood to die slowly and agonizingly for the sake of others. This is the cosmic power of love we see expressed in the very first verse of St. John's gospel as translated for today by Ernst Fuchs: "In the beginning was the Yes, and the Yes was Love, and Love was the Yes!"

"Truly, truly I say to you, unless a man be born anew he cannot enter the Kingdom of God." The Kingdom is still there — waiting. The wilderness still stretches on every side around our little Egypt womb-tomb. God's new thing is still breaking in. Now it springs forth — do you not perceive it? In black power and white self-understanding; in the movements of our times to feed the hungry, heal the sick, set free the prisoners, give dignity and hope to the aged, and peace, blessed peace, to the yet unborn.

Brothers and sisters, over and under thirty, the decision is yours and mine. See, I have set before you life and death, good and evil. Therefore choose life, a life of openness, of listening, of planning and creating, renewing and transforming this world; a life of refusing to be satisfied with any *status quo*, no matter how comfortable, that still leaves brothers and sisters hungry or hopeless — a life of participation, of sharing in the Kingdom of God through the power of love.

This may well mean participation in the revolution of our times. I hope it does, for the revolution needs you. Its aims are surely your aims, peace, justice, brotherhood, a better world. Its methods at times may not be yours, or mine, but the revolution needs you. It needs your support and your criticism. But criticism offered not in condemnation from without, but in openness from within, in the willingness to listen, to think, even to be persuaded at times — above all in the willingness to be reborn, to relinquish security and comfort — for hope and challenge, the promise of the future.

"The great mass of men," wrote Ralph Waldo Emerson, "cautiously lower themselves into obscure [and to add a word, "comfortable"] graves, but here and there an uncautious few forget themselves into immortality."

Let us be among that uncautious few.

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Mr. Shepherd's article is based upon a sermon he delivered during Fathers' Weekend '69.

— for a new car, a new job, a new home, a new spouse, a new love affair? And is this not much more profoundly reflected in the wistful yearning we feel increasingly each year at the newness, the freshness of Spring, of flowers or of little children, our own and then our children's children? We want, we yearn to be born again, to be young, to be new, once more standing on the threshold of life instead of looking back up at it from far down a dark descending staircase. We yearn to be renewed. But it costs too much, it hurts too much! There is just too much to give up. We are, after all, reasonably comfortable here in Egypt, despite the flies and the blood, the plagues and the pollution, and even if it could be described as death, at least it's a fairly slow and secure form of death. No, we can't afford to be reborn.

So we tinker with the present. We buy some new thing and for a few days or even weeks forget about regeneration. And like so many cabbages, the longer we go on the tighter we grow, wrapped around ourselves.

One power, and one power alone, can bridge this gap of yearning. Look again at birth. What is it that enables the newborn child to survive in this hostile environment? The love of mother and of father, clothing, feeding, sustaining, above all caring for this child. So it is with rebirth, only in the power of love can it be undergone and survived. Not the soft, mushy L.U.V. love, but the strong, firm power of love in which a mother will die for her child. This is the power which the



## Conn Currents

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### Connecticut College IS Co-Educational:

● Connecticut College opened for business as a co-educational institution on September 17 with an enthusiastic and promising clientele. Despite the new competition with Yale, Wesleyan, and Princeton, the College is overenrolled with 1465 undergraduates including a freshman class of 427 drawn from 31 states and 4 foreign countries. Records and scores are comparable to those of recent classes; but especially impressive this year is the depth of preparation reflected by the following statistics: 53% have had 5 years of 2 or more foreign languages; 74%, 4 years of one foreign language; 53%, 4 years of math; 40%, 4 years of social science; and 18%, 4 years of science. One fourth hold scholarships and/or low interest loans ranging from \$550 to \$3700.

The announcement on co-education came so late that the men now on campus have been called self-recruited. 38 are enrolled as degree candidates, most of them living on the first floor of Larrabee with George and Myrna Goldberg Cherkas '69 as house fellows. However, men enjoy a high degree of visibility with 4 in the Return to College group, 19 graduate students, and 38 special students, in addition to 27 Wesleyan men taking special courses. A visiting male senior had the courage to walk with the Class of 1970 at Opening Assembly, touch football has become the favorite fall pastime, and men are finding their way onto committees and into offices. They are responding well to academic demands and playing a constructive role as pioneers in a developing co-educational college. The Class of 1973, despite the heroic efforts of Admissions and concerned students, has only 12 black students, bringing the total in college to 37. Admission, in all cases with substantial scholarships, was offered to 30 black students, but the others were lost in competition.

● The Return to College program shows steady growth with 84 degree candidates, 4 of whom are men and 11 of whom expect to graduate in June as our first large group. The Graduate School this year has 43 candidates, 33 for the M.A. degree and 10 for the M.A.T., in the fields of Art, Botany, Chemistry, Classics, Economics, English, History, Mathematics, Psychology, and Zoology. Of special interest is the fact that six alumnae are enrolled: Virginia Clark Bining '40, Nancy Martin Casey '65, Jill Pendergrast McKinley '63, Charlotte Wolf Johnson '67, Carolyn Downes '68, and Dolores Radcliffe '69. Although the foreign student scholarships had to be suspended this year, there are 18 foreign students regularly enrolled from 16 countries as well as the counselors in the French, German, and Spanish corridors. The 36 transfer students include 10 men.

● For the Class of 1974 the Admissions Office is recruiting vigorously with a heavy traveling schedule for Mrs. Hersey, Mrs. Bredeson, and Mr. Evers, and many conferences with Admissions Aides and Alumnae Clubs in different parts of the country. Randie Freelon '69, part time Admissions Counselor, will visit Innercity Schools and work with Talent Search organizations. Admissions has also adopted a new policy of faculty participation in interviewing and recruiting candidates, Mr. Havens, Mr. De Santo, Mr. MacKinnon,

Mr. Brodtkin, and Mrs. Woody are holding interviews; and programs of faculty speakers will go out to schools throughout the year. Faculty have responded favorably to this new role, and applicants are pleased to meet our impressive and friendly faculty.

### Faculty Are Mobile, Too

● Like students, faculty derive new ideas and enthusiasm from visits to other institutions and abroad. This year 12 are returning from various projects, and 13 are on leave to browse in other academic pastures.

● Miss Torrey spoke recently to an interested audience from campus, other colleges, and town on "Grammar Like It Is," reporting on her research in Harlem last year, which showed certain grammatical principles underlying inner-city "dialects."

● Miss Mulvey was called to Dundalk, Ireland October 3-6 for a conference of scholars engaged in writing the definitive history of Ireland. She was one of three American representatives and reports that historians from northern and southern Ireland had no religious disputes.

● Most recent faculty publications include Miss Evans' book, *Physiognomics in the Ancient World*, published in the *Transactions of the American Philological Society* and Mr. Seng's anthology, *Plays*, in the Wadsworth series as companion to his earlier *Poems*.

● Many faculty families who found themselves displaced by the expanding Coast Guard Academy are now at home in a new apartment complex adjacent to Emily Abbey on River Ridge Road.

### And The Action Rolls On!

● Alumnae can well imagine the abandon with which students greeted the announcement that Comps. have been discontinued. The Class of 1970 is boasting that it is very special as the last class to graduate without men and the first to graduate without undergoing the ordeal by fire.

● The Moratorium proved a thoughtful and stirring occasion, beginning with a memorial service and candlelight vigil Tuesday evening with clergymen of different faiths participating. On Wednesday faculty members gave seminars on the History of Asian-American Relations, Social Implications of War, Economics of War, Implications of the Nuremberg Trial, Nixon's Political Dilemma, and Children and Aggression. At the noon rally on the Green Mr. Griswold, Mr. Shain, Katy See, and the Rev. Shepherd spoke. There followed a silent walk downtown, where some 600 students and townspeople heard the names of the Vietnam war dead read.

● As voted by the Faculty last spring, departmental advisory committees of junior and senior majors have now been selected and are holding their first





meetings with their departments to discuss offerings and plans.

- The Indians have it on campus this year, with *ConnCensus* transformed to *Satyagraha* (Truth Force) and Religious Fellowship renamed *Shanti* (Peace). In an effort to develop a community service, *Vespers* has been replaced by a morning service with students and faculty families participating and a mixed Harkness Chapel Choir performing works of special interest.

#### **And Happenings Make Life More Colorful!**

- Connecticut College students helped launch Senator McCarthy on his presidential campaign in New Hampshire, and in return he came to campus to give his account of the state of the Union in the Sykes lecture. About 1600 crowded the auditorium and stage to hear him pronounce wittily on principles, policies, and programs as he sees them. Where the principle is good, too often the program isn't practicable; where the principle is dubious, the program may be all too effective, etc.

- Career Night, an innovation sponsored by the Alumnae and Career Offices, brought back to campus 14 alumnae young but established in a variety of fields for talks with seniors. They stole visits to professors and Cummings and enjoyed meeting each other at cocktails and dinner.

- Sandy Holland has generously given the manuscripts of her four novels (she graduated in '65!) to the Palmer Library, where they have been exhibited and aroused much interest.

- The Museum sponsored an exhibition of early silver made in New London. The simple but beautifully designed pieces were assembled by Jennifer Faulds Goldsborough BA '65 MA '69, who did her thesis on this subject.

- On September 12 ground was broken for the new Thames Science Center on Gallows Lane across from the Arboretum, where its more spacious quarters will enable it to conduct more ambitious programs for the community.

- A series of Rock Music concerts was held during the summer on the Lyman Allyn Museum green with local groups participating and an audience of hundreds of young and old. Under the sponsorship of the Office of Community Affairs it has held the first of a series of indoor concerts in the Auditorium.

- As this issue goes to press, the faculty at its November meeting has approved experimenting with self-scheduled examinations in January. Under lively discussion are the following issues: a drastic revision of the calendar for 1970-71 and substantial participation by students on all faculty committees.



# Club Calendar 1969-1970

This program is limited to information available up to press time.

## Sept.

- 4-12** Parties for freshmen (teas, luncheons, coffee hours, picnics, swim parties) given by Conn. College Clubs of Boston, Cleveland, Delaware, Hartford, Nassau-Suffolk, New Hampshire, New York City, Philadelphia, Rhode Island, Southern Maine, Westchester.

## Oct.

- 6 Cleveland** After a Connecticut College Club breakfast, William Meredith, professor of English, opened the lecture series of Women's Association of Cleveland College, speaking on *Two Poets in 1969*.
- 7 Hartford** Dinner Meeting. Speaker: J. Barrie Shepherd, chaplain and director of Upward Bound program — *The Summer Humanities Program, 1969*.
- 8 Bergen County** Box Luncheon. Speaker: Jean Ross Howard '38, president, The Whirly Girls (International Women Helicopter Pilots).
- 14 Meriden-Wallingford** Pot Luck Supper. Speaker: Alice Galante Greco '34, high school guidance counselor — *The College Guidance Program in High School*.
- 16 Philadelphia** Luncheon Meeting. Speaker: Philip H. Jordan, Jr., dean of the faculty — *Social Crisis and the Colleges*.
- 16 Fairfield County** Visit to Hammond Museum, Salem, N.Y. (art gallery and oriental gardens). Luncheon and meeting at Stonehenge Restaurant.
- 21 Westchester** Luncheon Meeting. Speaker: Alice E. Johnson, associate dean of the college — *Connecticut College at a Time of Change*.
- 22 Nassau-Suffolk** "Back to College Day" with alumnae of Goucher, Skidmore and Wells. Faculty speaker from each college. For Connecticut, Philip H. Jordan, Jr., on *The Changing College Campus: Prologue to the '70's*.
- 23 Boston** Evening Meeting. Speaker: J. Barrie Shepherd — *The Summer Humanities Program, 1969*.
- 27 New London** "Dialogue '69." Evening Meeting in Oliva

lecture hall at Cummings Arts Center. Speaker:

Margaret Kahler, director of the new college Office of Community Affairs.

- 28 Hartford** *Meet the Artists*, tour of seven artists' studios (painting, sculpture, crafts). For Scholarship Fund. Open to the public.

- 31 Southern Maine** Meeting of high school guidance directors with Timothy Evers, associate director of admissions, hosted by club executive committee.

## Nov.

- 7 New York City** Evening Meeting. Speaker: Jewel P. Cobb, dean of the college — *The Question of Relevance*.
- 8 Philadelphia** Prospective student party with Timothy Evers, associate director of admissions.
- 11 Boston** Meeting for prospective students. Speakers: Eugene TeHennepe, assistant professor of philosophy — *Relevance and Liberal Arts Education*, and three students describing various aspects of campus life.
- 11 Cleveland** Football Dinner at Stadium Club (fund-raising). Speaker: A member of the Cleveland Browns.
- 12 New Haven** Covered Dish Supper. Speaker: Philip A. Goldberg, associate professor of psychology — *Misogyny and the American College Girl*.
- 12 Twin Cities** Annual "Shopwalk" in Wayzata with 19 shops participating. Club receives 10% of total sales for the day. Country club luncheon for members and friends.
- 12 Worcester** Dessert and coffee for prospective students. Speaker: Mrs. Robert Bredeson, assistant director of admissions.
- 14 Westchester** Council of Women's College Clubs Bazaar.
- 16 Nassau-Suffolk** QUEST party at Creek Club, Oyster Bay. Speaker: President Charles E. Shain.
- \* **Essex County** Covered dish supper meeting.



**Dec.**

- 2 **Birmingham, Mich.** QUEST Party, Speaker: President Charles E. Shain.
- 20 **New York City** Matinee theatre benefit, *Nutcracker Suite Ballet*.
- 30 **New York City** Theatre benefit, *Last of the Red Hot Lovers* by Neil Simon.
- 22-30 Holiday parties for prospective and present students given by Connecticut College Clubs of Bergen County, Cincinnati, Columbus, Delaware, Houston, Louisville, Los Angeles, and Southern Maine.
- \* **Hawaii** Holiday meeting. Speaker: Randall Freelon '69, assistant in admissions office.
- \* **Nassau-Suffolk** Children's theatre benefit at Westbury Music Fair.

**Jan.**

- 15 **Hartford** After dinner meeting (coffee and cordials) for members and husbands. Speaker: President Charles E. Shain.
- 20 **Denver** "College for a Day" with seven other eastern colleges. Charles J. Chu, associate professor of Chinese, one of four speakers — *The Present Political Situation in China*.
- \* **New York City** Art lecture, joint meeting with Wheaton College Club.

**Feb.**

- \* **Fairfield County** Luncheon meeting. Faculty-student panel discussion: *Connecticut College — Present and Future*.
- \* **New London** *Dialogue '70*. Panel of club members discussing changes in education.
- \* **Peninsula, Cal.** QUEST party. Speaker: John H. Detmold.

**Mar.**

- 4 **Bergen County** Cocktail party for members and husbands.

- 11 **Central New Jersey and Essex County** Combined annual meeting. Speaker: Dean Jewel P. Cobb.
- 16 **New London** Film odyssey of Capt. Irving Johnson's latest voyage by clipper ship. Palmer Auditorium (fund-raising program).
- \* **Meriden-Wallingford** Dessert and coffee, and college speaker.

**Apr.**

- 5 **Philadelphia** Open house and art sale.
- 15 **New Haven** Covered dish supper. Speaker: Dean Jewel P. Cobb.
- 15 **New London** Card party and fashion show for scholarship fund.
- 29 **Philadelphia** Casserole supper and annual meeting.
- \* **New York City** Joint activity with "The Graduates" (11 women's colleges). Guided tour, lecture, cocktail party — Joseph Papp Theatre and Old Astor Library.

**May**

- 5 **Nassau-Suffolk** Evening meeting. Speaker: Dean Jewel P. Cobb.
- 7 **Bergen County** Dinner meeting. Speaker: Philip H. Jordan, Jr., dean of the faculty.
- \* **Southern Maine** Annual meeting.

**June**

- \* **Meriden-Wallingford** Picnic pool party with husbands.
- \* Other spring programs:
- Westchester** Annual antiques fair for scholarship fund.
- New Hampshire** Tour of Currier Art Gallery, Manchester, and annual meeting.

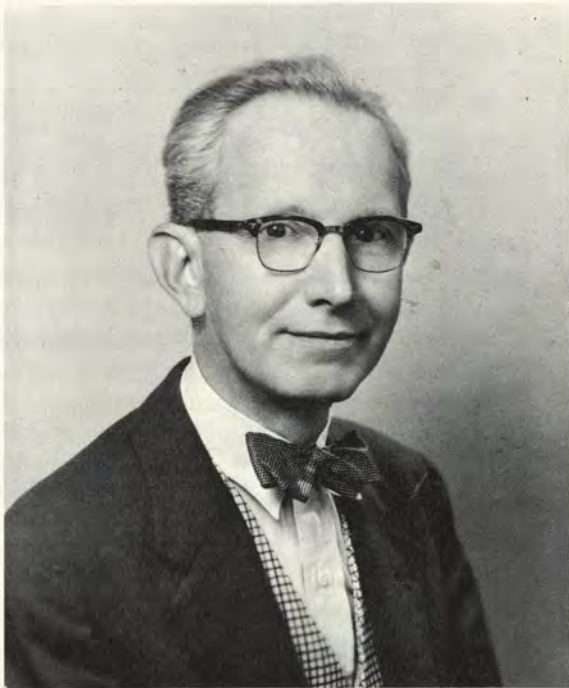
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**ESSAYS ON GERMAN INFLUENCE UPON  
ENGLISH EDUCATION AND SCIENCE,  
1850-1919 (Connecticut College Monograph No. 9).  
by George Haines IV.**

Connecticut College in association with Archon  
Books, New London, Connecticut, 1969, \$7.50.

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George Haines IV, Charles J. MacCurdy professor of American history, came to Connecticut College in 1943, and from 1955 until his death on July 24, 1964, he served as co-chairman of the history department. Known as a pioneer, he is credited with initiating the first course at Connecticut in cultural history, an early instance of interdepartmental study. Faculty and students alike admired Professor Haines, for he was a warm, kind person whose exceptional integrity contributed much to the standards and intellectual growth of the college.

The ultimate test of a nation's power is her ability to successfully wage war. What happens when a great power forgets this brutal fact and neglects to develop her potential for power? George Haines IV believed that an answer to this question could be found by studying the history of Great Britain from 1815 through the two world wars. Although Great Britain was acknowledged by all as the greatest power of the nineteenth century, her power alone was insufficient to defeat the German challenge of 1914. Why was Great Britain, a nation with so much creative energy, so much economic power, and so rich a political tradition, incapable of triumphing over the German nation which was barely a half century old? Mr. Haines spent the last years of his life studying this historical question. Some of his conclusions are presented in *Essays on German Influence upon English Education and Science, 1850-1919*.

This new publication provides a continuation of the discussion begun in one of Mr. Haines' previous works, *German Influence upon English Education and Science, 1800-1866* (Connecticut College Monograph, No. 6, New London, Connecticut, 1957). In the earlier volume, he first presented his thesis that Germany's power was as much a product of her system of universal education and her institutions for scientific research, as the organization of the famous Prussian army. He explained how the Germans' recognition that power could be generated through universal education and application of scientific theory to industry prepared her for modern statehood. The book, however, is not a discussion of the development of Germany, but a description of the kinds of admiration individual Englishmen had for German institutions in the first half of the



nineteenth century when the English people in general believed Germany to be backward politically and economically. Only after 1870, according to Mr. Haines, did most Englishmen see Germany as a rival power. It was the German defeat of France that apparently triggered the change of attitude.

*Essays on German Influence upon English Education and Science, 1850-1919* provides some insights into how the Englishmen who admired German institutions, or felt threatened by Germany's growing power, pressed for institutional changes to reinforce England's status as the greatest power. The book focuses on the English educational and scientific institutions which Mr. Haines believed to be Great Britain's most critical weakness. In describing the efforts to form as well as reform these institutions, Mr. Haines referred to the distinctions between the British and German cultures. He attempted to show why, as well as how, institutional change was resisted by the English until the eve of World War I. Britain's decline, according to Mr. Haines, could be traced to her failure to reconcile the liberal empirical tradition of no government intervention with her need as a great power for national efficiency.\* "To judge an economy by its potential in war would have seemed irrational to orthodox liberal economists," (p. 168), but Mr. Haines explained that this orthodoxy proved unrealistic in light of Germany's emergence as an economic and military threat. He obviously agrees with those Englishmen who chastised their government for failing to develop their human resources and to harness their scientific knowledge through the development of educational institutions and scientific laboratories.

Mr. Haines saw in the decline of Great Britain a grave warning for all countries of liberal persuasion, and for the United States in particular. The Introduction of his earlier book might well have been reproduced in this one:

In the present century, the Soviet Union and the new national states of the East have adopted Western technologies, much as Germany adopted them . . . in the early nineteenth century. Like England's a century ago, our population

is rapidly increasing, and our formal educational institutions, vastly more adequate as they are, may, however, become rapidly inadequate. If many of our young people find little encouragement, not to say compulsion, to submit to long years of disciplined study, they may become pensioners, living on inherited capital, and our own personnel efficiency may rapidly decline. To permit this to occur will be as perilous for us as something similar was for England. For us, that is the moral of this brief study, (p. xii).

The six essays which make up this small book are part of a lengthy manuscript, *The German Influence and the Decline of England* which Mr. Haines had completed just prior to his death in 1964. The Table of Contents of the manuscript is included as an appendix to the *Essays*. It suggests the structure and scope of the longer work which is on deposit in the Palmer Library, Connecticut College, and is available in microfilm. For those interested in a fuller discussion of the cultural-political rivalry between England and Germany, it is well worth reading.

Even the full manuscript, however, does not give us a complete statement of Mr. Haines' thinking about cultural history during this period. Those of us who knew him as a teacher and friend still miss him.

\*National efficiency, as used by Mr. Haines, means developing all the human as well as natural resources of the nation to their fullest potential and having a system for harnessing them for the state in time of war.



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'70, OUR reunion — make it the best!

When Amy Elizabeth Hall, 9th grandchild of Kathryn Hulbert Hall, arrived, Kay helped care for Tommy 5 and Eric 3. Kay visited in Fla. this winter and is now preparing for our 50th in June. She sold her Wellesley Hills home and is moving to an apt. Ellen Carroll Wilcox and her retired husband garden and restore antiques. Their daughter, with four children, resides in Cleveland. Their son had a sabbatical in Sept. and will study ecology for a doctorate. Ellen sees Justine McGowan Masse and Marion Gammons, now in New London. Loretta Higgins is club oriented and happy in retirement. Mildred Howard spent 3 weeks in Fla. with her brother and sister-in-law. Miff and Kay will stage manage our 50th, and after 1919's success, feel that we must work hard to make ours equally successful. Alice Horrax Schell and Fred visited Morocco, Portugal and N. Spain before flying to Paris and home. Al displayed jewelry at the spring show of the Soc. of Conn. Craftsmen. La Fetra Perley Reiche flew to Atlanta for a 4 day Girls Club of Am. conf. She entertains at home in Bristol, and visits son Frank and family in Princeton. She and Jessie Menzies Luce have granddaughters, Nancy Reiche and Virginia Butler, who are members of the Nat'l Honor Soc. Dorothy Quintard Mix, of Palo Alto, is a neighbor now of Helen Bishop Thompson, an early CC faculty member (1915-1918). She was 94 in January but drove and lived alone until last year. She died on Feb. 24. Dot moved to Channing House in 1964 and is enjoying easy living. She may not, because of health, return for our 50th. Her son and his family live in Campbell, Calif. Dora Schwartz Knapp returned from a cruise around S. Africa. Highlight of her trip was seeing wild life in Kruger Nat'l Pk. Ruth Barber McLaughlin made a research visit to Newport, R.I. where restoration of early houses has taken a new lease on life. Ruth is a descendant of Newport founders. A DAR and Womens Club member, she lives alone in Morristown, N.J. and looks forward to our 50th. Members of '20 present at 19's 50th were Mary Morgan Goodman, Mildred Howard, Kathryn Hulbert Hall, LaFetra Perley Reiche, Margaret Davies Cooper, Alice Horrax Schell, Olive Doherty, Marjorie Viets Windsor, Dora Schwartz Knapp, Marion Warner, Fanchon Hartman Title, Helen Collins Miner, Mildred Fagan McAllen, Catherine Finnegan, Nan Weldon Flanagan, Ruth Newcomb, Jessie Menzies Luce, Isabelle Rummy Poteat and husbands Fred Schell, John Poteat, Philip Luce, Melvin Title and Waldo Miner. We enjoyed it all, especially Juline Warner Comstock's verse. On Sunday we attended a luncheon on Mason's Island at the home of Doug and Eunice Gates Collier. There we were joined by Edith Lindholm Baldwin and Ray. We

## IN MEMORIAM

DOROTHY GRAY MANION	'19
LOUISE BAILEY CHANDLER	'21
EDITH POLLARD HARWOOD	'22
ELEANOR TRACY ADAM	'25
ERNESTINE HERMAN KATZ	'34
RUTH HUNSICKER LIKINS	'40

proved that we were the "singing class" and welcomed and serenaded 20's newest honorary member, Raymond Baldwin, former trustee of the college and husband of "our Teed". Fanchon Hartman Title and Melvin left for Hawaii, Tokyo, Thailand and Cambodia. Have YOU sent any memorabilia to Fanchon for OUR scrap book and display next June? C.U. at C.C. in '70!

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Elizabeth Merrill Blake is in San Francisco visiting her daughter Sally. In May Marjorie Smith showed slides of her trip to England. Marje cruised to the Mediterranean, Cherbourg, Mont St. Michel and Ireland in June. Lucy McDannel moved to New London and takes art courses at college. When my grandson Mark Yarrow, son of Amy Yale Yarrow '48, was here, I took him and Lucy to Mystic Seaport. Marge and Augusta have had lunch with her. I saw Augusta O'Sullivan when she worked for the summer school on campus. She retired in June from the college. I just returned from Campus Day (substituting for Gertrude Traurig). My daughter Harriet took Gert and me to lunch with Helen Tryon in Rowe, Mass. Ruth Bacon Wickwire and Grant went to Nova Scotia with daughter Katie and her family. Katie's Virginia is at the U. of Conn. and Carol is at the Internat'l Sch. in Wales while her oldest son is a scholarship student at Pomfret Academy. Alice Hagar Schoffstall wrote of the death last summer of Edith (Polly) Pollard Harwood. Dorothy Wheeler Pietrallo spent the summer in South Londonderry where her husband enjoys fishing. Mabel King Nelson vacationed at Ocean Point, Me. Her son, Winthrop Jr., and family returned to Conn.; he is director of religious education in Center Church in Manchester. Helen Peale Sumner had lunch with M. P. Taylor Beadle in Lisbon in March and attended her husband's reunion at Yale in June. Mildred Duncan is "rushed at the hospital and busy at church nearly every evening." She is pres. of the Wesleyan Service Guild. She met Pres. Shain in St. Louis and saw his pictures. Claudine Smith Hane's daughter Mellicent spent the summer near them. She lives in Maryland. Virginia Hays Fisher '24 wrote of the death of Helen Clarke Mackintosh in Monaco; she had a doctor stepson-in-law in Nice. Blanche Finley went to Russia this summer. Olive Tuthill Reid winterized their cottage in Madison, Ohio; her son lives 30 miles away and her daughter in Wash., D.C. Two of her girls are in college within 65 miles of Olive. Olive keeps in touch with Beatrice Clark. Helen Merritt and her brother went to Germany in June, and stopped in England coming back to visit the "Festival of Flowers" at St. Paul's Cathedral. Later, they motored to Montrose, Pa., and in August they took a Canadian Nat'l. planned bus tour to Nova Scotia. Helen keeps busy with

church, DAR, historical soc. and clubs. I, Amy Peck Yale, have had the honor to be elected New Haven County Farm Bureau Mother-of-the-Year.

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On July 26, the Concord (N.H.) Daily Monitor featured Sandra Eager Methven, daughter of Ruth McCaslin Eager Marshall. After 1 yr. at Mt. Holyoke, Sandra married and had 2 children; 18 yrs. later she entered New England College in Henniker, graduated in June as valedictorian, and received the Jameson cup presented to the graduate with the highest average. During her 3 yrs. in college, Sandra commuted daily while holding down a job, and caring for her children. Last summer she directed the Merrimac Valley Day Care Center and now is teaching 3rd grade. Adeline Muirhead Kimball and Lou, residents of Jacksonville for 14 yrs., live near their 2 daughters and 5 grandchildren. Margaret Durkee McCarthy is a neighbor. The Kimballs spent the summer in Europe. Last spring Lois Gordon Saunders wrote "retired" across her real estate license; she wants to enjoy life rather than senility. She serves as sec'y-treas. of the Belle Haven (Va.) Citizens' Ass'n, cooks, and would like to exchange recipes. Her son, Jack Kossler, former prof. of nuclear physics at MIT, moved to Wm. and Mary in Williamsburg. Early in the summer the Diefendorfs (Helen Hood) drove to the West Coast and visited their 3 daughters in Shaker Heights, Denver, and Ore.

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Edna Somers, who lives in Lynn, enjoys the fashion business at Boston's Jordan Marsh but dislikes many new styles and feels that clothes "are probably a reflection of the chaos and confusion in the world." She was in Spain, Paris, and London this summer on a business trip. She still does charity benefits, morning coffee with customers, a series for women who work, and the fashion advs. Dorothy Ayers Buckley loves her job in Marblehead working for Charley Eager, son of Ruth McCaslin Marshall '26 who died after open heart surgery a few years ago. Truth Willis Crooks' daughter Cynthia has 2 adorable sons, they live in nearby Leicester where Bill teaches Eng., in jr. college. Barbara, a graduate of Children's Hosp. in Boston, is a convalescent home nurse. Harold retired in



March. Her job as sec'y to the Worcester Art Museum curator is most interesting. The Crooks visited Barbara Hunt Green '29 and Albert during a trip to Florida in May. **Elizabeth Gordon Van Law** moved to Riverside, Conn. in June to a ranch-type house. In July Betty and her husband spent a weekend with **Margaret Tauchert Knothe** and Alex in Dorset, Vt. **Sarah Brown Schoenhut** and her husband were also there. Say Say's husband retired from Dartmouth and they live at their farm in Ely, Vt. **Lotta Hess Ringer** was featured in the Chicago Sun-Times as one of three women having a phenomenal success in the real estate business. Lotta had been active with the Illinois League of Women Voters and became its education chm. But after lobbying and addressing the legislature to try to get a raise for Chicago's school teachers, she became ill from overwork. Deciding to find something to do in the suburb where they live, she joined a local real estate firm in 1944; in 1947 she and a friend began their own business, and by the yr's end, the firm had sold \$1,000,000 worth of real estate. Today her firm, which employs 35 salespeople (34 women) in its Winnetka and Highland Pk. offices, averages sales of \$1,000,000 a month. Lotta's husband, Philip, is an attorney. She has 2 sons: Jack, who ran for alderman, and Ronald, who is v-pres. of the family's real estate firm. **Elizabeth Gallup Ridley's** husband Walter, having recovered from a heart attack, is again with the Foxboro Company as a consultant. Their 3rd grandchild was born Apr. 13. Her father, David, is a prof. at the Univ. of Pittsburgh, and her mother, Helen, expects to continue her studies there. Gal's son Allan and wife Ann live in San Francisco where he teaches. The Ridley's miss Marjorie Halsted Heffron '27 and Ray, who moved to Washington, D.C. where Ray does public relations work for St. John's Church following his retirement from N.W. Ayer in Boston. **Grace Bigelow Churchill's** daughter Sally moved back to California where her husband is v-pres. of Scientific Data Systems in Santa Monica. Ned is a general products mgr. in the J. H. Heinz Co. He has 2 boys and a girl. The Churchill's had a 2 wks. cruise to the Caribbean in February. "I do the same old round of clubs . . . also taking bridge lessons and renewing my French conversation in a class. Now that CC has come co-ed our chapter is doing likewise in Hartford." **Mildred Rogoff Angell** enjoys her work at Adelphi Univ. and finds it "rewarding to have a small role in preparing teachers for their part in today's world." She and David have returned from an annual European trip, this time to Amsterdam, Yugoslavia and Italy. "Our younger ones are busy camping all over the British Isles and our older ones are enjoying their new home (a really old house) in South Salem." '28's class baby, Alida van Bronkhorst Knox '52 presented her mother, **Kate Sanford van Bronkhorst**, with her 1st grandchild, Trevor McTaggart, on Mar. 3. Alida's husband John is assoc. prof. of philosophy at Drew Univ.; they live in Chatham, N.J. Kate still lives in Glens Falls, N.Y. with her mother. **Margretta Briggs Noble** writes that Herb retires after September and they then go to Williamsburg for the last of his technical meetings which enabled them to travel around the country so nicely. They're both interested in the local historical society, and "I'm active in the Regional YWCA, do publicity for CC club and am going down there next week in place of **Marion Pierpont Brown**." Peg and Herb went to Denver in April, then on to Palos Verdes, Cal., and then to Sacramento for 10 days with daughter Helen and family. This summer they visited daughter Debbie (CC '61) and family in



#### Corrections in August issue:

1—CB Rice tells us that in spite of library identification, the two pictures on page 10, labeled "Branford 1926," are incorrect. The top one with **Dot Johnson Imes** is Plant in '29-'30, or '30-'31. The lower one is Branford '29-'30 with **Edie Schneider MacGlashan**, **Cathie Steele Batchelder**, **Peggy Marvin Barnes**, **Betty Pyper Bauer**, and maybe, **Yvonne Carns Wogan** or **Gwen MacFarren**.

2—Page 9 should read "from 289 students in 1920, to 554 in 1928."

Pittsburgh where Roger teaches at Carnegie-Mellon. When **Dorothy Davenport Voorhees** visited Peg on her way to Alumnae Council, they talked with **Elmo Ashton Decherd**, who was leaving the next week with her husband for an around-the-world trip.

**Evelyn Davis Fernald's** husband Harold died in Fla. last December and **Elizabeth Olsen Kline's** husband Bernard died suddenly on Apr. 14. We extend our sympathy to Evelyn and to Betty and her family.

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**Elizabeth Avery Hatt** writes that her husband retired after 31 yrs. in the ministry. They now live in Elizabethtown, N.Y. and are renovating an old house. Their son, Norman, married this yr. and continues his studies at Union Theological Seminary. Son William, after graduate study at Univ. of Colorado, moved this fall with his wife to N.H. to begin teaching at New England College. **Dorothy (Babe) Barrett Janssen** writes, "Webb and I have 13 grandchildren between us." **Fanny Young Sawyer** spent the night with them not long ago. **(Jane) Pinky Bertschy Jackson** went to the Bahamas with her daughter Mary. **Helen Benson Mann's** daughter Wendy had a baby boy and moved to San Francisco. **Ruth Barry Hildebrandt** and Dean are building a home in Lakeville, Conn. **Bianca Ryley Bradbury** and her husband are building a house in New Milford, Conn. **Frances (Pete) Brooks Foster's** daughter Robin has 3 children, and supervises 300 volunteers in Worcester, Mass. who contribute to the reading, art, science and history programs in the public school. **Frances Gabriel Hartman** vacationed in the Caribbean. **Ethel Odin** retired from teaching in New Britain and looks forward to traveling. **Gwendolyn Thomen Sherman** announces the arrival of a first granddaughter. Gwen works with **Elizabeth Webster Hinman** on an annual church sale, and a Head Start group. **Katharine Fuller Whitney** had a family reunion with her daughter Phyllis' family from Minnesota; son Bruce and family from Illinois; and her 92-year-old mother. Her husband retired from Monsanto but works as a consultant. **Mercer Camp Stone's** husband also retired and he is being called on for consulting jobs. The best sports car track in the country is at Elkhart Lake, Wis. so they all are involved in the races in the summer with the Sports Car Club of America. Daughter Ann is married to a Marine major now getting his master's. Lyn's husband works for the Lustra div. of I.T. & T. **Marjorie Nash Lee** moved from Whittier, Cal. to Prescott, Ariz. **Ruth Cooper Carroll** attended the funeral of Gen. Eisenhower at Washington Cathedral. Her son Robert teaches sociology at the Military

Academy. **Louisa Kent** will be our 40th reunion chairman next June 12-14. **Ruth Litch Redlack's** son Kimball lives with his family in Chevy Chase and works for IBM. Ruth's daughter Shirley and family live in Atlanta. **Mabel Bartlett** lives in Brooklyn and goes to New London for vacation every summer. **Evelyn Clarke's** niece Christine entered CC this year. Evelyn is now between jobs. **Lillian Miller** is exec. director of Family Service of New London which has close ties with the college. **Barbara White Keniston** is in psychiatric social work at the Child Guidance Clinic of S. E. Conn. and teaches at Conn. as a visit-associate prof. in sociology. Her husband retired from Nichols College and they plan to visit their children in Texas. Daughter **Susie's** husband graduated from Harvard Business School; they live in Va. where Susie is working with Spanish-speaking people in a children's agency. **Adelaide Finch Royle**, an accomplished artist, is in Ramsey, N.J. where she was brought up. The new library in Ramsey is greatly due to her efforts. **Marian Geer** lives in her old family home in Ledyard, Conn., is active in conservation, the historical society, church, and mental health organizations. **Elizabeth Capron** is with Univ. of Conn. Sch. of Social Work and Group Psychotherapy.

Our deepest sympathy to Ruth Litch Redlack on the sad news of her husband's death in June. The class also extends sympathy to **Mabel Bartlett** whose mother died at age 97.

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**Ruth Caswell Clapp** will miss hearing from our classmates. **Hortense Alderman Cooke** bought a house with an unsurpassed ocean view at Machiasport, Me. Hort is in hospital work and mental health, and looks forward to several trips to New London as chm. of the Personnel Comm. of the Alumnae Ass'n. **Faith Conklin Hackstaff** gained a daughter-in-law and a three-year-old granddaughter in one day when son Roger married Mrs. Susan Snow Duncan of Drexel Hills, Pa. **Priscilla Dennett Willard** keeps busy when Ken is away with church, club work, and duplicate bridge. **Laura Taft Clements** enjoyed Richmond, Williamsburg and Washington in June. **Mercia May Richards** went to Europe in May, staying just long enough to want to go back soon. **Mildred Solomon Savin** and husband revisited Italy and Sicily. Isadore was elected pres. of the Conn. Opera Ass'n. **Kathryne Cooksey Dimmitt** toured the Orient for 6 wks. with a group of nine. Kay and Virginia Stephenson meet often in Washington. **Elizabeth Root Johnson**, treas. of the CC Club of Worcester, attended 2 Alumnae Council weekends. She is on the bd. of the Worcester Woman's Club and interested in AAUW. Last April Betty had a trip to Wyoming to be with Suzanne for the arrival of granddaughter, Anne Higgins. Suzanne's husband is supt. of schools in Dubois. **Cecilia Standish Richardson**, **Ruth Raymond Gay**, and **Edith Mitchell Hunt**, with their families visited **Catherine Tierney Cronin** and family in Troy, N.Y. **Mary Butler Melcher** and John sold their house in Redlands, Cal. and are trying out the role of "irresponsible apartment dwellers." Mary had a visit in Palo Alto with **Julia Salter Ferris**. Peg, a successful psychometrist at Stanford U., writes, "I guess what is most fascinating



about my work is not the work itself but the fact that I am on the fringe of the whole college scene. Stanford is going through changes as are most other colleges, and it is anything but dull even if one is only watching how these changes are brought about. Coed housing, sit-ins, protest meetings, encounter marathons, major curriculum changes, students taking on trustees in open debate and coming out ahead, Black Student Unions very much in evidence—it's all a far cry from anything I remember from my college days. I find it exciting, anger provoking at times, hard to understand at other times, and sometimes gaining my full support. At least it keeps me feeling young and part of what it is all about." Peg's husband Charlton also works on campus. Both daughters work and live in the vicinity. **Isabelle Bartlett Hogue** in Clearwater Beach, Fla. rents her waterfront apartments on a yearly basis. Sis has her own legal office, specializing in listing, selling and exchanging income and investment properties, as well as homes. Her daughter lives in the apt. bldg. with family. Her son and



family live in Miami. **Elynore Schneider Welsh**, supervising counselor in a Youth Opportunity Center was recently made manager of the office (she is on loan to the Nat'l Alliance of Businessmen as manager of recruiting and government services). She has done graduate work at Montclair St. Col., Teachers Col., Columbia, and Rutgers. Recently she was keynote speaker for a forum sponsored by the Young Women's Christian Ass'n for women returning to the labor market. She is a member of the Montclair Dramatic Club, the Cosmopolitan Club and several professional organizations. **Pauline Watts Inch** and family reside in Deland, Fla. Their two daughters are both married; Nancy's husband, a West Pointer, is a major at Ft. Leavenworth. They have two sons. Gloria's husband has his own business in Winter Haven. Polly and Carman, golf enthusiasts, play in weekly local tournaments, and as Florida State Seniors, go off to about 4 tournaments a year. Carman is pres. of Rotary which often calls them away to conventions. Both enjoy swimming and fishing, and are active in church affairs. Carman as moderator and Polly as deaconess. Polly exchanges visits with **Ruth Smith Heartfield** and husband Charles in Norfolk, Va. He has retired but Smitty operates a travel agency from her home. She also paints very successfully. I, your correspondent, am saddened by the loss of my mother, who died Oct. 9 just a week before her 92nd birthday. She had lived with us for 12 years. We are pleased by the arrival of our 5th grandchild, Christopher Whitcomb Brown, on Oct. 8, courtesy of son Duncan and wife Connie. Duncan, a captain in the Army, hopes to return to civilian life and his engineering job in Boston soon.

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Dan and **Jane Vogt Wilkison's** son Toby and wife have had the 1st girl in the Wilkison clan for 4 generations. **Elizabeth Turner Gilfillan's** son Robert had a son, Robert IV. Son David returned from Vietnam via the hospital. **Harriet Isherwood Power's** daughter Dorothy and granddaughter live with her while her son-in-law is off in command of a C.G. station off the Mekong Delta. **Dorothy Bard**

**Derry** has another granddaughter — her reason for not making it to reunion. **Olga Wester Russell**, after a trip to San Francisco, started a job at the Univ. of Maine as sec'y to the graduate faculty. **Dorothy Merrill Dorman** is "still agog" over the fact that daughter Pril switched from Smith to Williams for her jr. yr. **Elizabeth Moon Woodhead** had a hot and lovely trip to Scotland this summer. **Martha Hoaglund Fish** and husband returned from living in England as "dyed-in-the-wool Anglophiles." Her daughter married, has 2 children and lives in Japan where her husband is stationed. Between hospital jobs, your correspondent, **Andy Crocker Wheeler**, finished painting all the exterior trim, storm windows, screens, etc. on the Niantic house. The job almost finished her.

The class extends its sympathy to the family of **Ernestine Herman Katz** who died unexpectedly in October.

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### FLIGHT TO EUROPE

The Connecticut College Student Travel Bureau is now making plans for the 1969 Group Flight to Europe, leaving from New York for London during the second week of June, and returning from London to New York the first week in September. Definite dates will be available in early January. The group will travel by Pan American jet. Round trip fare is a low \$245. All members of the faculty, the administration, the alumnae, and their families are eligible to take advantage of this low fare. A \$25 deposit is required to reserve a place with the group. If you are interested, contact the Connecticut College Student Travel Bureau, Box 1181, Connecticut College, New London, Connecticut 06320.

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A '36 CC luncheon was held May 6 in NYC with 11 girls present: **Gladys Bolton Berlowe**, **Patricia Burton Burton**, **Barbara Cairns McCutcheon**, **Joyce Cotter Kern**, **Alletta Deming Crane**, **Helen Goldsmith Grunbaum**, **Janet Reinheimer Barton**, **Lois Ryman Areson**, **Betty Jean Sanford Mahla**, **Dorothy Boden West** and **Marjorie Maas Haber**. **Dutch Boden West** has 14 grandchildren; her oldest son is a sports director at CBS. **Mary Griffin Conklin** had a nasty fall down stairs this spring. Her second son Dick, is in the army, will be married in December. Husband Henry received the "Silver Beaver" award, the highest honor

for many years of service as a volunteer with Boy Scouts. **Miriam Everett Macurda's** husband was also awarded the "Silver Beaver" recently. **Jean Clarke Lay** is sec'y in a school in Stratford. **Evelyn Kelly Head** and husband went to Greece and Spain this summer. She is back teaching school in Stamford. **Gertrude Allen Dinsmore** is busy traveling in connection with her work for Italian and English crafts. **Alice Dorman Webster** kept busy this spring with the arrival of 12 Labrador pups. In July Bunny and her husband took a 2 weeks cruise to Martha's Vineyard with sister Ann '40 and her husband. **Eunice Andrews Brooks** is battling arthritis. Her daughter Susan married a doctor, and son Jeff is a computer programmer trainee at a local bank. **Bette Andrews York** and Leslie, after a trip to Murray Bay, Canada, spent the summer in Madison. Her son attends Williston Academy and daughter Sally graduated from Bradford Jr. College and Katherine Gibbs. **Margaret (Sandy) Stark Huepper** teaches in Mamaroneck. **Janet Reinheimer Barton's** son Bob married in April. **Shirley Durr Hammersten** and husband attended the wedding. In March Janet's mother died after a long illness. **Elizabeth Davis Pierson** and husband spent March in Fla. Son John teaches in Saybrook Jr. High Sch. **Sheila Caffrey Braucher** and family vacationed in the West Indies this spring. Daughter Mary married in June; **Gertrude Weyhe Dennis** attended the wedding. Daughter Julie just presented her with her 1st grandchild. **Gertrude Mehling Partington** had her 2nd grandchild. **Josephine Bygate Rolf** is a grandmother too. **Amy McNutt McNeel's** daughter married in July at their ranch. **Gertrude Weyhe Dennis** entertained **Elizabeth Taylor Buryan**, **Alys Griswold Haman**, **Sheila Caffrey Braucher** for lunch in August. Gris spent July cruising from Groton to the Btas d'Or Lake, Nova Scotia, Cape Breton and back to Halifax and home. Gris' daughter Wendy was married Oct. 3 to Henry Kerop. Your class co-correspondents attended reunion at CC in June.

Our class extends sympathy to **Frances (Dutie) Vivian Hughes** and **Margaret (Marney) McKelvey Renner** on the recent loss of their husbands.

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Replacing **Helen Maxwell Schuster** as class agent is **Carol Moore Kepler**. Conservation and Pony Club are 2 of Carol's major interests. Carol became a grandmother, her daughter Ann had a boy in Lynchburg, Va. Last June Carol's son Andy (Donald Jr.) married and another son, Steve, graduated from Univ. of Mass. Steve is in the Peace Corps in Teheran, Iran. Another son Chris, is still in high sch. **Helen Daghliah Allanach** is merchandise mgr. of the Mystic Seaport Stores and lives in Stonington, Conn. Son John is at the Univ. of Maine; Linda is with Eastern Airlines. Last June in Birmingham, Mich., **Florence McConnell Knudsen's** daughter Kristina married Lt. Stephen A. Gregg, USA, of Cohasset, Mass. A garden reception was held at her home. Catherine, daughter of Ed and **Jane Hutchinson Cauffield**, married Richard A. Merrick on Oct. 4 in West Richfield, Ohio. **Winifred Nies Northcott** wrote from **Jean (Hops) Howard's** apt. saying she was "sipping drinks served from a gorgeous silver tray which was a gift to Hops from the Whirly-Girls, all 129 of them, for being the founder and first president



of the International Women's Helicopter Pilots Ass'n. Hops was recently awarded the Lady Hay-Drummond Hay trophy for her work with hospital heliports. Winnie was in Washington, D.C. to report to the U.S. Office of Educ. about her new preschool center for deaf children in Minnesota. Also in Washington, **Elizabeth Fielding** was present when the three astronauts dedicated the new 10¢ air mail stamp and she sent me a First Day Cover complete with General Blount's autograph. **Winifred Frank Havell's** house is quiet with the children away; both boys are married, Fred lives in Rome, Bruce in New York. Nancy returned to CC for her jr. yr. My house is also empty without the boys. Charles lives in Tacoma and works in Seattle. His latest project is the design for the monorail for Disneyland in Fla. When he isn't off climbing a mountain, skiing or kayaking, he's giving slide shows for the Sierra Club. In September the Army decided they couldn't get along without Arthur so he is in basic training at Ft. Dix. Son Jimmy is a freshman at the Univ. of Ariz. Before he left, a limb fell off a tree and hit my head, requiring 8 stitches, and I developed a gorgeous psychedelic black eye. At the time, a young family from Switzerland was visiting while househunting at MIT. Margrit took over my kitchen and I lived like a queen on her fantastic Swiss cooking.

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#### '70, OUR reunion — make it the best!

In September **Katherine Wheeler Hastings** moved to Hamden, Conn. Her daughter **Caroline** graduated from Wellesley and now works for Morgan Guaranty in NYC. Son **Larry** and wife live in Fla. **Mary Giese Goff's** daughter **Debby** was accepted at CC, class of '73. Daughter **Janet (Smith '68)** goes to Yale Grad. Sch. in Far Eastern studies. Daughter **Barbara (CC '66)** is getting her M.A. in elementary educ. Son **Jeff (Amherst '68)** is in business. **Barbara Wynne Secor's** son **Fielding**, a U.S.N. Reserve Lt., married **Sheila Coy** of West Tisbury, Mass. They live in Newport, R.I. **Helen Burnham Ward** has both children in college: **Jay** at Amherst, interested in biology; **Sarah** at Beloit College, interested in anthropology. **Helen's** husband **Phil** is a minister. She doubles as pastor's wife and high sch. teacher in No. Rockland, N.Y. Summers are spent at Fisher's Island. **Clarissa Weekes Burgevin** is grandmother to **Diane**, daughter of son **John**. **Cris's** daughter **Steffanie** (graduated from George Washington Univ.) works for a brokerage firm in Washington. A year ago **Cris** and husband **John** went to Hong Kong and Japan. Now **John** is recuperating from a serious hip operation. On May 17 **Helen Rudd Doriss's** daughter **Susan** married **Peter R. Fowler** in Rowayton. **Jean Moran Gaffey** and family travel whenever they can: 4 yrs. ago in Italy, two trips to Hawaii, and to Bermuda last spring. Son **Bill** graduated from Williston Academy and entered Duke this fall. Son **Jim** is at Williston. Daughter **Jeanie** wants to be a horse trainer. **Jean** runs into **Dorothy Newell Wagner** several times a yr. **Dot** teaches in Falmouth, Me., High Sch. and received her M.A. in June. Her daughter **Martha**, CC '67, lives in Thompsonville, Conn. and has a daughter, **Ann**. Daughter **Ellen** is in Germany working for the U.S. Gov't. **Dot** hopes to

spend next summer there taking courses at the university.

**Irene Kennel Pekoc's** 2 oldest children are married; 2 boys are in college; 3 children are at home. Her oldest grandson is 6. Both she and husband **Bob** are active in civic and school affairs. **Bob** works in 2 areas of the inner city (Detroit), and **Irene** does volunteer tutoring with inner city children. At a CC alumnae meeting, **Irene** met **Natalie Klivans Dworken** and **Annette Osborne Tuttle**. **Nat** had just returned from taking her daughter to the Univ. of Wisconsin. **Oz** was with her daughter **Christine**, at CC this yr. **Pauline (Polly) Carroll Carter's** daughter **Toni**, CC '66, married and lives in Taiwan. She and her husband work for the Defense Dept. Daughter **Sally** is a computer programmer in Boston; son **Joe** a sophomore at Middlebury College. **Polly** and family summer on Cape Cod where they sail and are building a house. **Virginia Clark Bininger** spent the year studying for her M.A. in economics at CC. Husband **Jack** is commodore of the yacht club in Essex, Conn. Son **John** is at Lake Forest; daughter **Nan** and husband have moved back to Essex; and daughter **Sue** sells real estate in Cambridge, Mass. **Jane Clark Heer** lives in Columbus, Ohio. Their son is an architect in NYC and makes documentary movies on his own. Daughter **Sue** was in Europe last summer studying French, and son **Tim** spent 6 wks. at riding camp. **Shirley Devereaux Kendall's** son **Rick** married and went almost immediately to Navy OCS at Newport. His wife graduated from Cal. Western-San Diego in August with a 4.0 after taking 21 credits a semester, keeping busy while **Rick** cruised 8 months off Vietnam. Son **Jim** graduated from the Univ. of Mich. and was married in July; 2 wks. later, daughter **Pat**, CC '64, married **David Boyd**. They live in Lexington, Mass. and **Pat** teaches. Son **Jim** and wife **Kathie** presented **Brett Warren** on May 9. Son **Bill** is in 10th grade. **Catherine Klink McGibbon's** 2 eldest children are married; **Bill**, a Russian major at the Univ. of Pa. is now in the Navy. Daughter **Jean** is married, lives in Denver, and has a son. **Bonnie Laurie** is a high sch. jr. at the Principia in St. Louis. **Billie** and husband **Ed** (semi-retired) travel quite a bit. Both are licensed pilots and often fly to Mexico, out west to visit their children, and to northern Michigan to their cottage. **Billie** has had 3 articles published in the Christian Science Monitor, 2 on flying and 1 on birds. She is a member of 3 garden clubs, a flower show judge, and an occasional speaker. At the presidential inauguration **Billie** had a reunion with **Margaret Budd McCubbin** whose husband **Jack** is now a CG admiral. **Patricia** wrote from her summer cottage in W. Southport, Me. that in Glastonbury, Conn. on Sept. 13, her daughter **Betsey** married **Gregory A. Van Gundy**, a graduate of Kenyon, now in the Navy. **Betsey** graduated from George Washington Univ. in June with a B.A. Son **Steve**, a graduate of Kimball Union Academy in Meriden, N.H., is a jr. at Dickinson College in Carlisle, Pa. Daughter **Jeanne** 17 has had 2 yrs. at The Grier School in Tyrone, Pa., where she knew a daughter and a niece of **Eleanor Timms Irish**. **Jeanne** will do her sr. yr. at The Hannah Moore Academy in Reisterstown, Md. Her big interest is riding and a highlight came when she rode in the Penn. Nat'l Horse Show in October.



**Katharine Potter Judson** and husband **George** spent the summer with their girls in Amsterdam, where **George** is doing a special assignment for IBM. **Elizabeth Lundberg Small** and **Gladys Bachman Forbes** moved in the past yr; **Glad** to another town, **Bettie** down the hall at the same address. **Glad** joined

an investment club; **Bettie's** hobby is sewing. **Deborah Curtis Henry** moved to N.J. from New Orleans. Her husband **Russ** commands the C.G. Recruit Training Center at Cape May. **Debbie's** daughter **Sally** married in August; daughter **Sue** is a sr. at L.S.U.; son **Curt** is in jr. high sch. **Hallie Fairbank Sether** had 2 weddings this yr.: daughter **Nancy** who will graduate from College of Wooster (Ohio) in '70 and daughter **Bonnie** to an Australian newspaper reporter in Beirut, Lebanon. He is on the Baltimore Sun. **Helen Bernard West** writes, "Life seems to be a series of weddings, starting with **Mary Anne Scott Johnson's** daughter **Carol**... followed by our own daughter **Patty**, winding up this summer with **Helen Stott Heisler's** daughter **Caroline**. If my pediatrician husband **Bob** had been able to get off, we would have made **Kathleen Kirk Lande's** daughter **Candy's** wedding this September. Our son is at Columbia-Physicians and Surgeons after graduating from Princeton." **Elise Haldeman Jacobi** enjoyed 3 wks. in Europe in July when she and son **Jeff** accompanied **Karl** who was on business. **Jeff** is at Pennington, a preparatory school in N.J. near enough home for him to sail in the Fall Series. He came in third recently. "a feather in his cap for his 1st yr's. sailing."

We have just received word of the death of **Ruth Hunsicker Likins** in 1967 and wish to extend belated but sincere sympathy to her family.

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**Susan Parkhurst Crane's** daughter **Peg** married in Chicago May 9 just when **Sue** was flying a wedding dress to next oldest daughter who married her Lt. j.g. on July 12. On May 8 **Rennie Jr.** became engaged; he graduated from Ohio State, and worked, prior to entering OCS. Offspring **David** took spring quarter off from Ohio State to work at Republic Steel. **Debbie** (graduated from high sch.) plans to enter Colorado State on her birthday. **Sue** and **Rennie** vacationed in the Bahamas last Feb. **Jane Worley Peak (Woody)** writes that **Paul** was transferred to San Francisco, the reg. repr. for O.E.T., Dept. of Trans., **Lucy** entered Beloit; **Marty** aims for a west coast college, and **Roger** is in the Coast Guard. **Mary Stevenson Stow (Stevie)** turned down an opportunity to hear the President speak, to join **Baird** and **Patricia King Helfrich** at **Woodie's** home for dinner last spring. **Stevie**, whose husband is with Hercules Power, lives in Wilmington. Married daughter **Susan** lives in Phila. **Marty**, also married, transferred to U. of Delaware. Son **Fred** married after graduating from U. of Delaware. **Ricky** is in the Navy. **Pat's** husband **Baird** works for selective service. They find adjusting to suburban life trying after 15 yrs. in Burma. Daughter **Paula** is married. **Stuart**, after spending a yr. in Alaska, is now in the Army; they have 6 children. **Eleanor King Miller** lives in Baltimore following **Ray's** retirement from the Coast Guard last yr.; he now manages a bank. **Susan Schaap Gottlieb** helped set up a county volunteer bureau (under U.C.S.) to match volunteers with the appropriate agency. They went into their new house in Hazelhurst, Wis. for Thanksgiving and Christmas last yr., chopped their own tree from the woods, ice-skated after much shoveling, and found snowmobiling great fun. Son **Mark** works, **Chris** is in college, and **Kim** still at home. They had



dinner with Eileen Bilodeau Kersey and John in NYC. Barry Beach Alter and Jim were in Britain where Jim did research on church and social change in North India. From London they flew to Geneva to the World Council of Churches, then to Athens and finally to Bombay. They will live in Delhi while Jim continues with his project, assigned by the Christian Retreat and Study Centre. Son John (graduated from Yale with high honors in Eng. and a prize for best unpublished book of poetry in his class) has a teaching fellowship at Yale. Tom has worked at a camp for retarded children. Their 1st grandson was born to daughter Marty (a Ph.D. candidate) whose husband Lincoln is a resident at Mass. Gen. Hosp. Mary Elizabeth Franklin Gehrig (Pete's) son Johnny made a remarkable recovery from his accident and was elected pres. of his frat. Suzie graduated from CC cum laude, stayed in Holland (Experiment in International Living), then traveled by car with two friends. Still a sailing family, Tome and Ted take over in Stars where the Biggies left off. Pete, no longer on the CC Alumnae Board, will miss her trips to New London. Janet Swan Muens and family are back after almost 5 yrs. in Caracas. In Wilton, Conn. on 2 acres, they have a split-level they never wanted. Jay married in July 1968 and Bob will be gone soon. Margaret (Maurie) Gieg Rullman's brother lives in Wilton too with wife, Middy, a CC grad. Bill came from Vietnam in March. Constance Bleeker Blayney's Sue married; she computer programs for Bell Labs. while husband teaches, goes to school, and practices tree surgery. Betty is now Mrs. Bob Webb. Connie at U. of Ky., and Laurie at home. They have bought land on Barren Lake (a Ky. flood control reservoir) and are building. Connie pursues a writing career through Famous Writers; Paul makes furniture. Grace Nelson Auge's son Nels got his master's from Purdue. Rog and Linda live in Cincinnati; she's an interior decorator; he writes for the paper. Gigi is at U. of Ky.; Mary Jean is a busy 4th grader. Lois Weyand Bachman was in Europe 4 times last yr. Sons Bill and Tom joined them on one trip. Hawaii, last Christmas, saw a family reunion to celebrate her parents' 50th anniversary. Barbara (Bobbie) Weld McGuire, in Bangkok, learned silk-flower making and teaches faculty wives at A.I.T. She is secy. of the bd. of the Pearl S. Buck Foundation Volunteer Organization, which works with Amerasian children: adoption, support, education, medical care. She also works with a group setting up an English speaking guide service for the Natl. Museum. Bill thoroughly enjoys teaching. Students, all graduate students, are mostly Thai; the faculty comes from all over the world. They had 16 students for a picnic supper, the first time many had eaten American food. Tom, an honor student at U. of Mich., spent the summer with them. Bob, graduated from Dartmouth, taught Russian in high schools near Hanover; he has spent a summer at U. of Leningrad.

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New class pres. Barbara Pilling Tift and husband spent 3 wks. in Europe in September, he attending medical meetings. Louise LeFeber Norton, class treas., writes that our investment capital is expanding because many paid their \$15 five-year class dues. The Nortons, with a son out of college and in the Navy; another at Austin College in Texas; a daughter at Indiana Central; and a youngest son in high school, have incorporated their farm and recently built a 200,000 bushel grain elevator. Anne Keay (left nearly paralyzed from a polio attack in '45) still does radio and TV monitoring at home, volunteer work for the March of Dimes and visiting nurse programs. Her hobbies include knitting, bridge, and making shell earrings. Ethel Sproul Felts and Georgann Hawkes Watson had a rewarding visit with CC art dept's Miss Hanson after reunion and spent some time with Elise Abrahams Josephson and Neil in Niantic. They

### PHI BETA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Each year the Connecticut College chapter of Phi Beta Kappa awards a scholarship to an alumna or senior who is planning to do graduate study. Although the size of the scholarship varies from year to year according to contributions received, it has in the last few years amounted to \$500.00. Any alumna interested in applying may obtain application forms from Mrs. Carol Ohmann, Box 1541, Connecticut College. Completed forms should be returned to Mrs. Ohmann by April 15. Applicants need not be members of Phi Beta Kappa.

then visited Betty Rabinowitz Sheffer in Westport. Betty and husband Ralph have been in Spain, cruising the cost in a 38' sailboat. Daughter Anne spent jr. yr. in Paris and son Jon went to France for 7 wks. with Putney student travel. Eleanor Townsend Crowley regretted missing reunion but was getting Anne (senior at Abbot Academy) off to Central America. Daughter Sue entered Stoneleigh Burnham this fall. Nancy Hotchkiss Marshall entertained members of '44 at her Niantic cottage after reunion. Sizzle, with 5 children, from a son out of the Navy Air Corps and attending York Univ. in Toronto to a daughter 4 about to enter nursery school, finds energy to work part-time at a local ski shop. From Kansas City, Mo., Caroline Townley von Mayrhauser reports that she is still in theater activities, serving on the bd. of directors; daughter Andrea (freshman at Monticello) shows dramatic leanings also. From Detroit, Jane Howarth Yost writes that Ann won the Junior Miss contest for Grosse Point Farms. She was judged on scholarship, talent, poise and appearance. Jean MacNeil Berry's daughter Thomasin is a freshman at CC and Virginia Passavant Henderson's daughter Cia is a jr. Passy has two others in college, Lisa at Stanford and Sid III starting MIT. In Portland, Me., Doris Campbell Safford's husband is in his 21st year of broadcasting. Daughter Leslie started Vassar; son Charlie is at Hotchkiss. Doris works part-time and takes courses at the U. of Maine. From Portland Ore., Margaret

Hamilton Hamachek reports two weddings: Tod, a Harvard Business School Sr. married a month after sister Dede. Husband Russell is pres. of a new conglomerate C.N.S. Inc. Helen Johnston Shea and family moved to Tucson, where Jim will practice radiology. All look forward to skiing. Barbara Pfohl Byrnside didn't get to reunion because she went to Europe. Husband Ben is on the resident faculty for the Industrial College for the Armed Forces. The Byrnside's Lee is getting her master's at U. of Virginia; their son is at Bucknell. Other European travelers this summer were Lois Webster Ricklin and Saul whose daughter, Leslie, kept house for an older and a younger brother. Middle son studied French in Switzerland. Ruth Howe Hale, who had been teaching, is now concentrating on the family. Ruth is planning a June wedding for daughter Kathryn (graduating from Cornell) and an Afro-European trip for herself and Tite. Daughter Lauren is in Africa serving in the Peace Corps. Susan Harbert Boice during a 3-wk. tour, called Edith Miller Montgomery in England and found she had moved. Suzie lives in Florida and sees Dawn Aurell Noble who is on a sabbatical from P.R. work in NYC and living in Mount Dora. Your reporter, Ellie Houston Oberlin, moved to Arlington, Va. with Dave, who was appointed administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway by the President. They spent 2 good yrs. in Duluth, where Dave was port director and Ellie was art coordinator with the Duluth Public Schools. Daughter Diane was married Aug. 23; they moved on Sept. 15. Son Alan is at Bowling Green U. in Ohio, daughter Alida at the U. of Minnesota. Ellie and Dave had dinner with Mary (Kenny) Hewitt Norton and Gerry. Kenny is excited about her new job teaching Spanish at Madeira School.

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1971 and our 25th reunion will be here before you know it. So be sure to send class dues to our treas., Mrs. Clifford Steinberg (Suzanne Levin). Jean Mount Bussard and family moved to Wellesley Hills. Buzz works for United Fruit and travels a lot; Steven is at Harvard, Ellen at Radcliffe, and David a high sch. soph. Constance Hopkins Hyslop had three in college: the eldest, graduated in June, is taking a 5th yr. for teacher's credentials; Jay, at U. of Vermont, worked as counselor in the Vermont-N.Y. State Expanded Horizons summer program; Sallie is at U. of Redlands. One son is still at home. Joseph, Jean Clinchy Vila and their 3 children moved to Milwaukee where Joe is educational coordinator at Lakeside Children's Center. Jane Seaver Coddington had 2 of her offspring in college, and 2 waiting to hear if they got in. Jane described them as a solid but not very conspicuous mixture of "villager and hippy". Her husband does university-community relations at Vanderbilt and Jane teaches. Muriel Evans Shaw also has 2 in college, Columbia and U. of New Hampshire, and 2 at home. She found Alumnae Council most interesting. Barbara Miller Gustafson's retired Navy husband Bob, is ass't. mgr. of the Mystic Oceanographic Co. Sons Andy and David graduated from college in June. They live in Lyme on the Conn. river. Bobby loves teaching elementary remedial reading. Mary Lee Minter Goode's husband Dick was transferred to



Governors Island, N.Y., where they live in huge old Victorian quarters. Son David, majoring in polit. sci. at Beaver College, is taking his first semester in London. Debbie transferred to Sargent at Boston U. where she is majoring in phys. therapy. Lee teaches nursery school. Getting 2 teenagers (Jody and Dinty) back to school was a nightmare for **Joyce Hill Moore** what with all the usual equipment and more. Joyce's volunteer job at the N.J. Museum's Art Gallery keeps her busy; in addition, she bought 4 paintings. **Betty Finn Perlman** entertained the CC Club of Cincinnati at an after-theater party to honor Estelle Parsons '49. For recreation, the family skis in Sun Valley and recently enjoyed an arts trip to NYC, plus a visit to B'klyn Botanical Gardens to see the Bonsai collection, her husband's hobby. Dr. George Avery, former CC botany dept. chm. is director. Betty received the highest award from the Girl Scout Council, culminating many gratifying years. She regrets CC didn't go coed sooner because her daughter, Sally, would have gone. A business trip took Seth and **Lucy Eaton Holcombe** to the west coast during the summer. In Sept. they took 2 of their Morgans on a Vermont trail ride. **Alice Willgoos Ferguson** was east this fall to take Susie to CC for her last yr. and daughter Sandy to Yale for her 1st. Sandy lives in Timothy Dwight, and Alice says that after dating there many yrs. herself, it was a strange sensation watching her move in. Henry and **Marguerite Butler Rood's** daughters are rooming together at U. of Vermont. Pam is Tri Delt, dorm pres. and member of jr. honorary soc. Roxie is a candidate for Homecoming Queen. She had a great summer counseling at an inter-racial camp in Bear Mt. Pk. Marguerite is head teacher of 4's in the Middlebury Co-op Nursery Sch., serves on the bd. of AAUW and does church work. She and Henry vacationed in the White Mts. and in Maine. **Jane Fullerton Ashton** boasts of 2 grandsons. Daughter Liz's husband teaches at Storm King School, Cornwall, N.Y. Barbie is at CC and loves it; she spent the summer with the Experiment in Internat'l Living, in France. Bill and Bob are at Dartmouth and ski competitively. The Ashtons sold their farm and are building a house in Saratoga. Fully keeps busy with community activities and occasional trips (to Mexico last winter) **Joan Paul Loomis** teaches 2 French and 2 English courses. Bill is at boarding sch. and Margaret is a 6th grader. **Miriam Steinberg Edlin** wrote that if our daughter Patty had chosen CC, it would have influenced her Laura, but Patty wanted Wheaton and couldn't be happier. Laura is at Vassar. Our son Jim, a jr. polit. sci. major at Hobart, was a 2-letter man in squash and tennis last yr. and had a fabulous summer with a Wall St. firm. Our house is deadily quiet and I make a point of not being here unless it is absolutely necessary. Case aide work, selling Christmas cards, and tennis keep me out a good deal.

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Married: **Helen Crumrine Ehler** to David S. Ferguson on June 13.

**Helen Crumrine Ferguson** wrote enthusiastically of her enlarged family consisting of Debby 17, Marilyn 15, David Jr. 15, Carol 12 and Mary 8. As husband Dave is running for mayor of Wallingford, she is having a busy

fall. **Shirley Anne Nicholson Roos** has seen several classmates. **Marion Koenig Scharfstein** had a flat tire nearby, so she and 2 daughters dined with the Rooses. They were on their way to pick up Jean at Ithaca College. **Patricia Dole Pearl**, son Peter and daughter Deidre stopped on the way home from Lake George to Va. Shirley antiques with **Rita Hursh Mead**, who lives in Briarcliff Manor. Rita's daughter Susan is at Sarah Lawrence and Tommy is in 8th grade. Rita studies for her M.A. in music. Shirley and 6 others are starting a studio of the arts in Rockland County. Her husband Casper is in Mame and they are still doing school programs. **Enid Williford Waldron** was in Lysistrata at U. of Utah Pioneer Theatre this spring. She has been working on an interfaith youth meeting at the Salt Lake Tabernacle and went to Maine. Daughter Cindy is at Wells. **Rita Singer Philipson** moved to Coral Gables, Fla. where Dave is with a land developing firm. Toni teaches and daughter Sue is at Mt. Holyoke and Jill at Coral Gables High. **Irene Lemanski Mallick**, with her M.A. in educ. teaches now that her 6 children are in school. Son John, a Merit Scholarship finalist, is at MIT. **Shirley Corthell Littlefield** teaches and is a student in the summer. Dana is at Gettysburg and her other 2 are in high sch. **Elizabeth Burroughs Bielicki** received her M.S. in '67 and is teaching in Mystic. Her husband is with Electric Boat, and her children are Anne 14 and Bob 12. **Betty Benjamin McClinck** has 3 children and part-time jobs in public health and in a nursing home. **Eleanor Lazrus Karp's** older daughter is at CC. Eleanor is active with the LWV and the New York CC Club. **Nancy Morrow Nee** is head of the lit. dept. at the San Francisco Public Library. She and Tom hope to take a 3-month European trip in '70. **Polly Amrein** is a supervising teacher at the Cal. Sch. for the Blind in Berkeley. **Henriette Newfield Savin**, Herb, and children (Blanche and Scott) travelled for 5 wks. last summer to Cal., Hawaii, and Canada. Heading the CC Quest drive in her area with Thea Coburn, being pres. of the woman's committee of the Hartford Stage Co. and working on the Guild Bd. of the Conn. Opera Ass'n keep her busy. As Herb is co-owner of the Hartford Knights (top ranked minor league football team) they spend much time at games. **Frances Farnsworth Armstrong's** 1st trip west last summer with Henry included 10 days on a working ranch in the Rockies, a trip up Lake Powell, and a visit to Ojai, Calif. where Henry's brother has a ranch. She saw **Prudence Tallman Wood** in L.A. Henry has been named general counsel of Travelers Insurance Corp. **Phyllis Barnhill Thelen** took her 4 children to London; they rented a house near Hyde Park corner, did the city thoroughly, and spent a week on the Thames in a houseboat visiting points of interest. When Max joined them, they toured the continent for 2 wks. in a VW bus. Highlight of that trip was her return to Hokfluk, Switzerland where **Carolyn Blocker Lane** and she stayed in '48. Phyl is now preparing for an exhibit of paintings and prints. **Carolyn Blocker Lane's** one-act play, *The Last Grad*, won first prize in a nationwide contest sponsored by Webster Groves Theatre Guild. It was produced in St. Louis in August and accepted for publication by Baker's Plays, Boston.

**1949 Co-correspondents:**

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Born: to John and **Emily Hallowell Blessis**, Charles, on July 7; to Woody and **Betty Jane Ruete Hedden**, Jennifer, in August.

John and **Gloria Sylvia Paoella**, both licensed pilots, spend much time flying. Gloria is a member of 99's (an internat'l organization of women pilots) and worked vigorously for its 40th annual celebration at the end of the Powder Puff Derby in NYC last summer. Now she is membership chm. for the greater N.Y. chapter. Gloria and John work for the NYC Bd. of Ed. John in administration and Gloria in art. Gloria studies for a fine arts M.A., and has an M.A. in curriculum and teaching. **Margery Asher Russem's** husband Jerry is in the women's clothing business and pres. of their Temple, and they have 3 children. Marge's activities include hospital volunteer work, carpools, skiing, and vacations at Cape Cod. Sailing makes summer exciting for Stu and **Ruth Versoy Griffing**, Lane and Katie. Lane crews for Stu while Katie and Ruth are "camp followers" at regattas. John and **Dorothy Ann Warren White** moved to Rochester, Minn. 2 yrs. ago so that John could work on IBM's system 3 as an advisory programmer. Daughter Caroline is at Macalester College, St. Paul; son Peter in high sch. and Patsy in jr. high. All are active in the Episcopal Church and other community activities. Dan started studying piano at 39; she assists in the choir school. The Whites sail on the Mississippi. Says Dan, "We still have wonderful family outings. We feel grateful that the lines of communication do stay open—even if we're not always on the same wave length." **Nancy Bearse Clingan's** husband Tom is on sabbatical leave from George Washington U. Law Sch. and is legal counsel for the House subcommittee of oceanography. Son Tommy is at Ohio Wesleyan and Dave in high sch. Nancy teaches pre-schoolers. Robert and **Frances Lee Osborne** actually live on Easy Street, Alamo, Cal. 40 minutes from San Francisco. They visited Frances' brother and sister-in-law, **Barbara Mehls Lee**, in Cheshire, Conn. last summer. **Elizabeth Steane Curl** finds the years busy ones with 4 children and a husband involved in church and school activities. She taxis her 4 children, works for various drives, and does hospital volunteer work 1 day a wk. in addition to church and school commitments. **Marilyn Wunker Julnes** was class agent for AAGP and enjoyed talking to the 12 regional class agents, from **Ann Conner Newbegin** in Florida to **Elaine Hansen Fraser** in Mass. "We seem to be way down in donors from last year," she said. The Julnes' son George specializes in math and science while Noelle's specialty is writing. Norv is in house-building, including one for Marilyn. She serves as pres. of the Terrace Park, Ohio, Women's Club, church librarian, and on a committee on drug use and abuse. **Ruth Kaplan** is editor and sole staff of the *Boston Naval Shipyard NEWS*, a bi-weekly newspaper for which she writes every word. In addition, she often meets celebrities who come to Boston to visit Old Ironsides. Bob and **Artemis Blessis Ramaker** live in Rhode Island. Bob is an editorial writer for the *Providence Journal and Bulletin*. Now that Sam and Martha are in sch., Artie has a part-time job as sec'y of the South Kingston Planning Board. She volunteers as sec'y of the Peacedale Library Bd. of Trustees, treas. of the CC Club of R.I., community action chm. of the local AAUW, church librarian, and Sunday school teacher.



We extend sincere sympathy to **Ella Lou Hoyt Dimmock**, whose husband Stephen died last year.

#### 1951 Correspondents:

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Married: **Margaret Park** to Milton S. Mautner, on Feb. 21.

Born: to George and **Marjorie Weeks Owens** a daughter, Julie Bowie, on Sept. 6, 1968.

#### 1952 Correspondent:

**Mrs. Virgil Grace (Margaret Ohl)**  
201 W. Lally St., Des Moines, Iowa 50315

Born: to Christopher and **Beverly Quinn O'Connell**, Sean Colin, on Feb. 12; to Marshall and **Monica Lennox Williams**, Marshall Lenox, on Mar. 30.

Adopted: by Virgil and **Margaret Ohl Grace** a son, Keith David, born Nov. 19, 1968.

An enthusiastic group enjoyed being together at reunion: **Barbara Ackroyd Elder**, **Brenda Bennett Bell**, **Helen Brogan**, **Louise Durfee**, **Elizabeth Gosselin**, **Sylvia Gunderson Dorsey**, **Mary Harrison Beggs**, **Marguerite (Pidge) Hoadley O'Connell**, **Arlene Hochman Meyer**, **Joan Katz Easton**, **Shirley Kline Witt-penn**, **Ruth Manecke Gruber**, **Roberta Mauro Thurrott**, **Elizabeth Myers Itse**, **Norma Neri Covert**, **Beverly Quinn O'Connell**, **Elizabeth Rockwell Cesare**, **Mary Sessions Morier**, **Elizabeth Snow Knowlton**, **Patricia Updike Sormani** and **Beverly Weber Raynor**. Class officers elected were: pres., **Joan Katz Easton**; v-pres., and reunion chmn., **Brenda Bennett Bell**; treas., **Patricia Updike Sormani**.

The addition of Sean Colin contributes to **Bev Quinn O'Connell's** already hectic life; in March the family moved to Ellcott City, Md., so Bev started again to furnish a new house. In May she and Chris spent a wk. in London. **Nancy Alderman Kramer** moved to W. Htfd. last fall and this summer **Mary Harrison Beggs** moved to Potomac, Md. **Monica Lennox Williams** before her remarriage worked at administration in an inner city high sch. in Indianapolis. Apr. 6, '68 she and Marshall, a lawyer, married in a simple ceremony with Monica's children, David and Susan, as attendants. They moved that summer into "a delightful, rambling old monstrosity" (including a swimming pool) which they all adore. Little Marshall, called Tad, is well spoiled by his teenage brother and sister.

Keith David joins Karen Eileen 3 in adding joy to **Virgil and Margaret Ohl Grace** in Des Moines, Ia. Virgil continues as pastor of 2 Presbyterian churches. Margaret left a part-time job as Soc. Action Rep. for the Iowa Council of Natl. Assn. of Soc. Workers, and now is active in church and social work. **Joan (Rusty) Katz Easton**, Bill, Buffy and Tom live in NYC. They summer on L.I. Bill manufactures beautiful knit dresses. Rusty loves teaching and manages to play golf for fun. **Rachael Kilbourne Gould's** life in Sewickley, Pa. revolves around her 6 children. Andy at St. Paul's Sch.; the others at Sewickley Acad. Rachel does volunteer work and this fall is studying existentialism. She and husband Locky travel frequently; this past year went to Antigua, Canada, Denver and San Francisco where they visited with **Genevieve McLaren Prideaux-Brune** and husband Rowly. **Jane Law Koessel** is with Minneapolis Inst. of Arts where she guides and takes classes. Jane applauds the recognition **Dene Laib Nathan** receives as an art consultant. Dene's apt. in NYC is a treasury of art works.

**Jean (Slim) Lattner Palmer**, after arriving home in San Francisco from Europe, had as guests Bill and **Barbara Gueinzus Gridley** on their way to the bankers' convention in Honolulu; **Dene Laib Nathan** on a buying trip, and Fred and **Molly McKinley Moffatt** during the surgeons' convention. Bill and **Nancy Lynd Jacobs** were transferred by Honeywell to Caracas, Venezuela. **Catherine Kirch Dietrich** and family live in Rio de Janeiro; their apt. on the beach at Copacabana has a heavenly view. The 4 children are at the Escola Americana and meet children from many countries. Cathy and Ned had a fabulous trip sponsored by the Brazilian Army for attachés and their families to Brasilia and other cities in July.

**Sara Klein Klein** lives in Bridgeport, Conn. and teaches at Trumbull H.S. One daughter is at Barnard, and a son and another daughter in high school. **Joan Hamilton Lohnes** writes from L. A. that husband Jack is now a management consultant. In Feb. they visited Mexico, Puerto Rico, Barbados and Nassau. John is enthusiastically attending Calif. Coll. of Arts and Crafts. The other 5 children at home enjoy a tiny foster baby girl. Joan received her R.N. 2 yrs. ago. **Shirley Lukens Rosseau** is busy with Rick, Sue and Ann. Dick built a ceramic studio and he and Shirley try to master the wheel. She is in LWV and many town activities. **Barbara Kaufman Roberts** moved to a new home in W. Htfd. and works at Hartford Public H. S. Reid is at Loomis and Eric at King Philip Jr. H.S. **Annette Kunstler Frank** is a registered rep. (stock broker) with Marantette & Co. in Detroit, a far cry from her language major. Stephanie is at U. of Wisconsin and Lisa at Kingswood. **Elizabeth Lahm Heller's** family consists of Karen, Alice and Nina. This summer the Hellers rented a house at Martha's Vineyard. A new house in Potomac, Md. and 4 children (Tim, Meg, Anne, Susan) occupy **Jane Hough McElligott's** time. Ray is an asst. secy. of the Natl. Geog. Soc. This summer **Jan Lindstrom Tellan** and family moved back to San Diego and Zut commutes to Honeywell where he is a program manager. Jan is busy with 3 children in 3 different schools.

**Monique (Meekie) Maisonnier Doelling** works at social welfare in Boston, a switch from tennis and teaching French. Peter plays in tournaments, Kurt is in 8th grade, Eric in 6th, Meekie is pres. of jr. high PTA, and Norm works for a digital equipment company in Maynard. The family cruises around Nantucket in their new sloop. After 4 yrs. Brussels, Belgium has become home for **Elizabeth McLane McKinney** and family. Her children all began at Belgian schools, but Cricket is now at Concord Acad. in Mass. (with Betsy Strider, Bob and Helen Strider's youngest); Ricky and Christopher go to the same English school, and Jonathan is still at a Belgian school near home. All 3 older children are scouts; the McKinnies were leaders until this year. "I am replacing that activity with a French literature course at the Université Libre de Bruxelles. I am also active in a book club which is mostly American as we read in English, and I'm chairman this year of an international study group. Our travels this summer took us to the U. S. for our bi-annual home leave. Cricket and I spent an evening with **Lella Larsen Klein** and her family, and a lunch with **Joan Bulkley deSelding**. I go with Dick fairly often on business and the month of Oct. was a good one—5 days in England and 4 days in Geneva and Vienna. There are remarkable advantages to living on this side of the ocean and we are trying to make the most of every year we are here."

Our new class correspondent is **Alida van Bronkhorst Knox**. The Knoxes find baby

Trevor a real joy so that Alida does not miss teaching kindergarten. Her address is: Mrs.



John Knox, Jr., 160 Lafayette Ave., Chatham, N.J. 07928.

The class extends its sympathy to **Norma Neri Covert** on the death of her husband.

#### 1953 Correspondent:

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#### 1954 Co-correspondents:

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Born: to Jim and **Sally Lindblad Hollister** a third daughter, Katherine Erica, on Aug. 7.

**Jeanne Knisel Walker** toured northern Cal. in a trailer, with Famous Writers fiction course for rainy days. **Ann Olstein Berson** soaked up sun and culture on a Greek Islands tour. **Jan King Evans** escaped Washington, D.C.'s infamous summers in Cooperstown, N.Y. and Highlands, N.C. to gather her forces for the fall YWCA Internat'l Food Fair, of which she is chm. **B. J. Kent Hench** and children made a triumphal tour of old haunts on the East coast. **Lois Keating**, and 3 nieces, went to the depths of the Grand Canyon aboard mules. **Pamela Kent Laak** studied modern dance at Stanford U. in preparation for teaching modern dance to adults, creative dance to children, and performing with the Stanford Repertory Co. **Joan Feldgoise Jaffe** received her degree in the psychology of reading from Temple U. **Evelyn Connolly Meyers**, last heard from in Cal. is living in Moorestown, N.J., coping good-naturedly with a houseful of children and pets, and lending a hand with Girl Scouts. Her husband is now Mobil Oil Co.'s East Coast regional medical director. **Polly Anne Maddux Harlowe**, perennially in the cardboard carton and moving van set, recently moved to Corpus Christi, after a delightful stint at Newport, R.I. and its adjacent antique shops. The Harlowes drove southwest along the Gulf Coast just prior to Camille. **Nancy Gartland Bose's** family were transferred from Texas and are now happily buzzing about Germany. **Cynthia Linton Evans** left Cal. for Rochester, Minn. where her husband joined the staff of the Mayo Clinic. Those native New Jerseyites, **Scoop** and **Constance Demarest Wry** liked Tucson so much they settled there. **Marian Goodman Rabinowitz** left the Washington area for Charlottesville, Va. **Carol Connor Ferris** returned to the states from England and lives in Worthing-



ton, Ohio. **Dianne (Denny) Robinson Leven-thal** is at home in Little Silver, N.J. Her husband is associated with Hess Oil. Sam and **Nan Appell Thorpe** are in Boca Raton, Fla. where Sam is director of purchasing at the Boca Raton Community Hosp. Marshall and **Marianne Fisher Hess** are building their new castle in New Castle, Pa. **Claire Wallach Engle** is up to her vocal chords in planning the convention of Sweet Adelines in Hawaii. Back in Boston, **Sheila McKenzie Warner's** husband Jack was appointed head of the Boston Redevelopment Authority. The Warners now have 4 children. **Mary Robertson Jennings** took a leave of absence from teaching to do volunteer work in the Los Angeles ghettos. Mar's free-lance writer husband Bob achieved another plateau in professional prestige when a quote from his article on Mike Nichols was used in the *Saturday Review of Literature's* double-croctic.

**1955 Correspondent:**  
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Born: to Mervin and **Marjorie Lewin Ross**, Nancy Ellen on Dec. 16, '68; to Guy and **Gale Anthony Clifford**, John Chandler on June 25; to John and **Janice Simone Ladley**, Christopher John, in July; to Robert and **Janet Torpey Sullivan**, Claire Janet on Feb. 8; to Richard and **Judy Reycroft Larson**, Elizabeth Ann on Apr. 1; to Mal and **Sheila Walsh Bankhead**, Joseph Randolph in Feb.

**Helen Cary Whitney** and family still enjoy life on Puget Sound with their sailboat. They came to New England this summer to visit family, Acadia Natl. Park, and Boston. Helen teaches handicapped children swimming at the Y. The **M. J. Callahan Wielers** moved to Trumbull, Conn. where they have a private lake with sailfish and canoes. "The children, Phillip, Cathy and Martha flew to Columbus for our 1st post-CC visit to **Sarah Dawes Hauser**. Phillip and Sally's Charles were at camp while Sally and I talked and our children became acquainted. I'm very involved in political activity." Robert and **Ruth Coughlan Wehrer** and family moved to Erie, Pa. where Robert is teaching. From **Laura Elliman Nutt**, "I've started my 3rd yr. as secy. to the pres. of Wagner College." **Barbara Givan Missimer** and family bought a home in Wilmette when Lyman was promoted in IBM to manager for the Distribution Industries Nationwide.

**Faith Gulick** teaches at Middlebury; she spent the summer at modern dance centers throughout the country via a grant from Ford Foundation to Middlebury College. **Deborah Gutman Fehervary** lives in Santa Fe, N.M. where Steve directs student activities at St. John's College, a great change from Morocco. She hopes to get back soon for a reunion. This summer she saw **Janet Ahlborn Roberts** in Wilkes-Barre on her way to Nantucket before returning to Paris. Bill and **Janet Heim Head** moved to Calgary, Alberta. Bill was transferred with **Texaco**. **Elise Hofheimer Wright** is busy as a Valentine Museum trustee. (She sent Mr. Mayhew photographs from the museum's collection for his new book.) This fall she planned to guide for the Soc. of Arch. Historians, and is also kept busy with 2 children, and fund-raising for St. Catherine's Sch. **Amalie Hughes Montstream** works hard on the Wethersfield Conserv. Comm. Bob is with a private law firm; the whole family enjoys living close to the Conn. River and occasionally paddling the canoe up to Hartford. **Ann Lewis**

**Warinner's Storrs** is asst. operations officer for the 59th Fighter Interceptor Squadron, piloting F-101 fighters, and she became a pilot this summer. She also took graduate courses in education, still teaches nursery sch., and with music and 4H, her schedule is a busy one. The **Ann Lindsley Bowles** family were near Eagle River, Wisc. this summer. In Feb. Ann went to Washington with Dean and visited **Anne Browning Strout** who has 3 children: Mark, Alfie and Charlie. **Millicent Kavanagh Ruddy** with Marianna Parcells Wagoner '44, had a reception Nov. 11 for prospective students from the Greater Boston area, a job, she says, that has been complicated by co-education. She also does

## ALUMNAE COUNCIL 1970

March 6, 7, and 8

### INVITED TO ATTEND:

Class Presidents  
Club Presidents  
Members of the Executive Board  
Former Alumnae Trustees  
Past Presidents of the Alumnae Association

### ALUMNAE COUNCIL'S PURPOSE:

To enable active alumnae officers . . . to work and plan with increased effectiveness through sharing ideas and discussing problems, and

. . . to learn at first hand how the College is meeting its changing responsibilities.

*Program and reservation forms will be mailed early in February to qualified participants. Meanwhile, please save the date!*

JANE SMITH MOODY '49  
Program Chairman

volunteer work for the Robt. Brigham Hospital and Girl Scouts. **Suzanna Martin Reardon's** family left "Lindsay's Fun Parlor" last spring for a visit to Washington with **Janet Fleming Haynes**.

**Jean Pentz Leonard** is busy with Brownies, Girl Scouts, and substitute teaching in Holliston, Mass. Jean sees **Joan Gaddy Ahrens** and recently visited **Anne Mahoney Makin**. **Judy Reycroft Larson** lives in Carlisle, Mass; Richard practices in nearby Chelmsford. Being class agent for Walnut Hill, ed. of the Emerson Hosp. publication, and placement advisor for the Jr. League of Boston, plus trying to get the children where they are supposed to be, keeps her on the go. From Peabody, Mass. **Beth Ruderman Levine** reports that Larry is mgr. of Adv. Mfg. for the 5 Hitchiner Mfg. Co. plants and is commanding officer of the C.G. Reserve Unit in Salem. Beth teaches leadership training, Sunday Sch., and writes free lance feature stories for No. Shore newspapers. Jill and Jonathan, with 8 rabbits, have their own Bunny Club.

**Sally Sauer Young** moved to Bowie, Md. where Bruce is at Ft. Meade. **Janice (Ginger) Simone Ladley** and John feel qualified for the "My Three Sons" tv show with a grown step-son, Mark 2, and Christopher 6 mos. Mark learned to walk on skis last yr. at Gstaad, Switzerland where the Ladleys spend the winter. **Nancy Sutermeister Heubach** reports that husband Hank (a physicist with Stanford Research Inst.) is recovering from a badly smashed knee. After 3 yrs. Nancy will no longer play hockey with the "Mommies," a local group of older than collegiate women who play against Stanford U. hockey team and hold their own. Nancy is a LWV member, involved in 2 adult education courses, and the alumnae club. **Suzanne Schwartz Gorham** says that with 3 young boys, she is going into her 2nd yr. as Den Mother, is active on the exec. bd. of PTA, in the LWV, and is studying contemporary drama. When the family was returning home from Canada last summer, the car caught fire on the N. E. Thruway. Luckily, no one was hurt!

**Nancy Teese Arnott** and family moved to Geneva, Switzerland, where they expect to live for 3-5 yrs. The children will attend an internatl. sch. and Nancy plans to bring home a family fluent in French and expert on skis. **Janet Torpey Sullivan** is corres. secy. of the Westchester CC Club and pres. of the local Newcomers' Club. **Camilla Tyson Hall** and family moved to a larger home in Hingham, Mass. Camie plays tennis weekly at a tennis club. **Cynthia Van Der Kar Kirch's** Gene is marketing mgr. at E. H. Titchener & Co., while she has been studying portraiture and water color for 3 yrs. under 2 very able artists—even exhibiting this year. **Sheila Walsh Bankhead** and family, back from Nigeria, live in Rowayton, Conn. Mal is with Waterbury Savings Bank; Henry is in kindergarten, Jennifer in 2nd grade at Notre Dame Acad. in Waterbury, and "I'm just beginning to readjust to being a housewife." **Marilyn Wilczek Depper** has moved to Wilbraham, Mass. where she is a Brownie leader and a home room mother. **Eva Wysk Koch** sent news from Brazil: she has traveled in Argentina, Uruguay, and extensively in the USA; she teaches English to 300 sr. high sch. students; has translated 2 books from Portuguese to English, and has published articles in Brazil and Argentina about German lit. in Brazil. **Margaret Zellers Lenci** is starting her 2nd yr. in Kansas. Gordon is headmaster of a coed day sch., while she is doing more writing than ever: regular newspaper columns; free-lance stories for the NY Times; special twice a yr. Caribbean sections for them also; a new travel magazine called *Bon Voyage*, and the text for 2 photographic books on the Virgin Islands and on Barbados to come out pre-Christmas. The Lencis cruised along Maine this summer.

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Born: to Jim and **Jean Cook Brown**, Roger Lindsey, on Mar. 29; to Jay and **Susan Satz Kaplan**, James Louis, on Apr. 16; to Harold



and Elaine Wolf Stein, Judith Ellen, on Apr. 21; to Bruce and Kathryn Gregory Hoare, Douglas Gregory, on June 2; to Jim and Peggotty Namm Doran, Beth Namm, on Aug. 22; to Sandy and Hannah Schoentgen Webb, Jocelyn Sarah, on Nov. 1, '68; to John and Elizabeth Biery Neidel first son, John David, on Dec. 31, '68; to Dean and Jane Gersen Gilchrist first daughter, Susan on Oct. 24, '68; to Bill and Sarah Wilson Lovejoy, Juliet Wilson, on Aug. 2; to Garo and Gale Linck Partoyan, Garo Linck, on Apr. 15; to Lee and Audrey Bateman Georges, Kirsten, on Mar. 31; to Bill and Ann McCoy Morrison, William Alexander, on Apr. 23. Adopted: by Roland and Evelyn Woods Dahlin a daughter, Eleanor Sherlock, born Feb. 19, by Peter and Susan Miller Lowenstein a second child, first daughter, Kate Elizabeth, born Mar. 3.

Carol Whitney began the 2nd yr. of her MA-PhD program in world music at Wesleyan in Middletown. Her recovery from a 3-yr. old hand injury progresses by means of playing the mrdangam, a South Indian classical drum. Last spring Evelyn Woods Dahlin reaped over \$1600 from her CC education in the TV show Jeopardy. She is an active alumna, pres. of the Houston Club and '58 Class Agent chm. John and Cynthia Stauffer Spurdle are in London for a 3-4 yr. stay. They are adjusting to English methods: namely, a.m. inspection of uniforms (with neckties) at their daughters' schools. Susan Bejosa Gould, of San Francisco, has begun a monthly magazine, *The Bay Leaf*, designed to give Bay Area elementary sch. children



a sense of regional identity through factual stories and articles on different topics. The magazine was funded recently by a foundation, enabling expansion of circulation. Sue and Bill took time out from her literary efforts, his medical practice, and the care of their 3 daughters for a trip to Italy last spring. Rob and True Talley Fisher and son Brett are in Champaign, Ill. where Rob teaches sculpture and design at the Univ. He also constructs huge light sculpture sets for the Al Huang Dance Co. (used at the CC Summer '69 Dance Festival) and makes "groovy" light sculpture accessories (blinking belts, handbags and necklaces), presently on sale in NYC. True grades high sch. English themes in addition to the chores of motherhood and housekeeping. The David Carsons (Judith Ankarstran) live in Wellesley on the campus of Babson Institute. Last July, before departing for a 3 wk. Scandinavian tour, David and Judy visited with Bill and Ann McCoy Morrison at their summer home in Center Ossipee, N.H. During the summer Ann and Bill reunited with Fred and Patsy Parry Nordstrom, and Dick and Margaret Porter Mitchell at Annisquam, Mass. Peter and Susan Miller Lowenstein vacationed on Nantucket for two months. After their summer at the Jersey shore, Charlotte Bancheri Douglas and sons returned to San Francisco, where her husband is with Western Operations, a computer firm. Charlotte keeps busy with the Mother's Club and is pres. of the Spring Opera Ass'n. The Douglasses spent a spring weekend with Gail Weiler Lilly and family, who have since moved to Detroit. Jane Houseman Beckwith and children spent the summer in New Hampshire. Jane helped in the swimming program at a local day camp. Ted's recent travels took him to Turkey, S. Africa and Paris for his work at Pepsico. In Wilton, Conn. Jane keeps busy with sch. library work. Hannah Schoentgen Webb sings with a jazz quartet and League trouping madrigal group. She and Sandy went on several back-packing trips into the high Sierras this yr. and anticipate a full ski season. Although her young son

keeps her hopping Cassandra (Sandy) Sturman Bright is still affiliated with a NYC travel bureau, and in spare moments she makes collages for children's rooms, golfs, and travels. Dean and Jane Gersen Gilchrist are settled in Ohio where Dean is a mechanical engineer at Goodyear Aerospace in Akron. En route to Ohio from Conn. Jane visited Marlene Rapp Bisceglia. In Gardiner, Me., the Wallaces (Florence Potter) purchased a "Charles Addams—Please Don't Eat the Daisies" house complete with 10 Victorian rooms, stained glass windows, balconies etc. Flo and Edith (Dede) Swain Bullock, who

enjoy ski trips together. Kathryn Gregory Hoare is pres. of the CC Club of Central N.Y. this year, in addition to her church work. The Hoares summered on Cape Cod and spent an autumn weekend in Vt. Your co-correspondent (MMS) and family enjoy summers and fall weekends at the N.J. shore. Their recent weekend guests were Charles and Molly Fluty Roraback and children. The Stokeses and Rorabacks are winter neighbors, having Vermont ski houses together. Your other correspondent (PIB) and family had a delightful summer stay in Orleans, Mass. last July, away from the continuing married scheme of suburban living.

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#### "Survival: An Appraisal of the Probabilities"

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Alumnae of all other classes welcome as the "Class of 1911"

lives in Bangor, got together recently. Another Maine resident, Patricia Harrington McAvo, serves as fellowship chm. of the Bangor AAUW this yr. While visiting in Warren, Pa. last July, Pat lunched with Elizabeth Biery Neidel. Anne Richardson Johnson, is a bd. member of the Hartford Jr. League, chm. of the League Thrift Shop, and student at the Wadsworth Athenaeum. The Johnson children are enthusiastic sailors after spending the summer in Maine. Bart and Marion (Marnie) Becker Miller moved from New Haven to Tuxedo Park, N.Y. when he joined the Rockland Nat'l Bank in Suffern. Dick and Carol (Riv) Reeves Parke are still in New Haven. Riv continues to enjoy working at Sterling Library. A new home and 2 small daughters leaves Elaine Wolf Stein just enough free time to be treas. of her Silver Spring, Md. Hadassah group. While visiting in Conn. during the summer, Laine saw Cassandra Clark Westerman and children. Despite myriad involvements: LWV, PTA, Girl Scouts, and local Swampscott benefit leagues, Marilyn Leach Cassidy, husband and 3 daughters

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Married: Carolyn L. Frederick to Frank Antonelli on Aug. 23.

Born: to John and Edmea da Silveira McCarty a third child, first daughter, Anne Marie, on May 27; to Richard and Gilda Radin Stern a second son, Jonathan Roger, on June 2.

### 1960 Correspondent:

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Born: to Joel and Anne Stilson Alvord Sarah Hoyt, on June 23, 1968; to Harry and Christine Steinfeld Wagner, Harry Louis IV, on Mar. 12; to Robert and Jean Chappell Walker, Benjamin Hoyt, on Apr. 26; to Chauncey and Betsy Thompson Bartholet, Sanford Ives, on June 10; to Peter and Susan Green Cashman, Johanna Gillett, on June 16.

Happy mother Christine Steinfeld Wagner writes that new son Harry is "so delicious." Harold and Frances Gillmore Pratt are in the real estate business, busy with Waterford Springs, a "second-home" development 3 hrs. from Boston. Harry gave up his law practice over a year ago. Anne Stilson Alvord is busy with provisional training for Hartford's Jr. League, piano lessons, and new daughter Sarah. Husband Joel is a v-pres. of the Hartford Nat'l Bank. Harry and June Salamy Krish live in Mansfield, Conn. Harry is with U. of Conn. and June works at the univ. library. Howard and Sandra Fleischer Klebanoff are busy parents active in Hartford affairs. Howard is representative to the Conn. state legislature and Sandy is on the bd. of educ. for a yr. Chauncey and Betsy Thompson Bartholet of Scarsdale, N.Y. have seen Bayla Solomon Weisbart and Patricia Jones McCree there.

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Married: Irene Bogdanski to John R. Ciroce on Aug. 4.

Born: to James and Linda Dryden Carney, Bruce Atwood, on Aug. 24; to Clark and Louise Brickley Phippen, Winthrop Brickley, on Feb. 1; to Michael and Paula Berry Langsam, Peter Manse, on May 19; to Jonathan and Jane Crandell Glass. Charles Evans, on



June 24; to Ronald and **Susan Eckert Lynch**, Andrew Eckert, on May 11; to Kenneth and **Maryann Donington Weyman**, Kenneth Scott, on Mar. 31, 1964; Anne Jackson, on Feb. 17, 1966, and Todd Donington, on Mar. 20, 1968; to Max and **Ann Buchstein Heter**, Allen Jay, on June 14; to Martin and **Penelope Walholm Hylbom**, Amy Laura, on Mar. 9; to Ariel and **Tamsen Evans George**, Brewster Evans, on June 21; to David and **Camilla Boitel Burgess**, David Henry Jr., on Mar. 13; to Allan and **Judy Biegel Sher**, Robert, on Nov. 12, 1968; to Andrew and **Helen Osborn Braun**, Stephanie Rohanna, on Mar. 12; to David and **Susan Sterner Wolverton**, Michael David, on Sept. 18; to Revere and **Kathryn Stewart Ferris**, Gordon Stewart, on Jan. 19; to Kenneth and **Deborah Swift Zike**, David Noel, on Apr. 22; to John and **Solveig Weiland Stetson**, Eric Weiland, on Jan. 18; to Joseph and **Barbara Weinberg Cohen**, Jon Marlene, on Feb. 24; to Bayard and **Martha Willis Anderson**, Ian Scott, on Feb. 6; to John and **Mary Willy Falconer**, Jeffrey Knight, in February.

**Susan Miller Burke**, her 3 girls in sch., enrolled in So. Conn. State College for grad. courses in educ. Last spring she worked as a part-time home demonstrator. **Mary (Polly) Deming Ledyard** is ass't chm. of a Jr. League project to promote and publicize *Sesame Street*, a new nationwide children's educ. TV program. **Louise Brickley Hippen** has been taking figure drawing and creative art at the Hudson River Museum sch. **Paula Berry Langsam** is in her new home in Bedford Hills, N.Y. Husband Michael practices endodontics in Mount Kisco. **Margaret Brister Greenman** works part-time at the Florence Crittenton Home for unwed mothers. Her husband Don is with a Baltimore law firm. **Nancy Jones de Forest** lives in Paris where Taber is in research associated with the U. of Paris. **Susan Eckert Lynch** is membership chm. of Phila. Conn. College Club. Robert and **Linda Hermanson Eder** and 2 daughters, Elizabeth and Randy, moved to Manhattan. Newburgh, Ind. is the new home of **Penny Walholm Hylbom** and family. Husband Martin is Tri-State Ed. of *The Evansville Courier*. **Camilla Boitel Burgess** takes a course for teaching history of Amer. art in the Evanston schools as a Jr. League volunteer. Peter Cohen (**Susan Feldman**) is completing his doctorate in guidance and counseling. Sue concluded 2 yrs. of government service as a computer programmer at Goddard Space Flight Center in Greenbelt. **June Hopkins Nelson** and family live in Washington, D.C. Husband Jack is regional representative for Denver Corp.; June is active in a Jr. League singing group and Women's Committee for Washington's Performing Arts. **Elizabeth Carter** writes music and puppet sketches for a puppeteer, and loves San Francisco. **Helen Osborn Braun** lives in Brookline; while husband Andrew finishes his doctoral thesis at Harvard, she works part-time for a psychiatrist, is busy with Brookline Fair Housing, and takes an extension course in colonial American history.

Jay and **Carole Root Cole** returned from Arizona to Leonia, N.J. to the house (being remodeled) where Carole grew up. Jay is ass't curator in the dept. of herpetology at the Amer. Museum of Nat. Hist. Decorating a new house in Harrison, N.Y. keeps Michael and **Roberta Rosen Duban** busy, as do 2 daughters. **Louise Rosenthal Glasser's** family look forward to winter in Tucson where Jim has been appointed general manager of Inflico Products. **Susan Rowe** is Regional Supervisor, Bureau of Planning, Pa. Dept. of Community Affairs, and responsible for the administration of the Federal Comprehensive Planning Assistance Program ("701") in southwestern Pa. **Seyril Siegel** of Santiago, Chile, had an exciting holiday in Peru where she climbed Huayana Pichu to see the sunrise. While Bill

writes and teaches, **Marion Stafford Robinson** fills her hours with "story telling, throwing pots on a wheel, and draft counseling." The Robinsons enjoy get-togethers with **Marina Neris Guillotis** and family, who until recently lived nearby. The 4 Robinsons from Iowa City this summer visited family and friends but are settled now in Iowa. Dave and **Susan Sterner Wolverton** are enjoying their new son and their newly remodeled "old Victorian monster" in Westfield, N.J. Dave is pres. of Medicine Studies, Inc., in Montvale, N.J. In July '68, Revere and **Kathryn Stewart Ferris** bought a 10-room farmhouse in Bethlehem, Conn.; since then, they've been hard at work remodeling it. Revere was promoted to ass't v-pres. of the Colonial Bank and Trust Co. in Waterbury. James and **Dorothy Swann Williams** live in Norfolk, Va. but expect a change as J.D. has been selected for USN commdr. **Abigail Welch** left Memorial Hospital in NYC to travel in Britain this summer. **Deborah Swift Zike** lives in Quantico with her husband, a Marine Corps major. The family of **Heather Turner Coughlan** loves Florida (quite a change from England) where Pat is with a Palm Beach law firm. Heather and Tom had a reunion this summer in Pa. with Tom and **Ellen Watson Payzant**, Colin and **Virginia Wardner Bradford** and Gilbert and **Joan Adess Grossman**. **Solveig Weiland Stetson**, with 2 sons, finds her activities somewhat limited. John, a registered architect, attends U. of Pa. for another degree. Also busy with 2 sons is **Barbara Weinberg Cohen**, who takes a painting course once a week. A third mother of 2 boys, **Mary Willy Falconer**, is sec'y of the Chicago CC Club. While Ron is at Yale Divinity School, **Janet Wright Evans** does community organization for the New Haven Regional Center (developing community programs for the retarded). She supervises 2 U. Conn. Sch. of Social Work students studying community organization, and teaches community workers at the School. Both Evanses are busy with draft counseling. Janet enjoyed speaking about social work as a career last spring at CC.

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Married: **Brenda Easton** to Robert A Weber on July 26; **Allison McGrath** to Richard G. Burchell on Sept. 27; **Suzette Smith** to Richard G. Faux Jr. on Apr. 19.  
Born: to Philip and **Rebecca Owens Newman**, Pamela Helen, on Sept. 18, 1968; to John and **Zoe Tricebock Moore**, Karen Lee, on Nov. 30, 1968; to Allan and **Rosemary Raban Lichtman**, Joshua David, on Dec. 17, 1968; to Howard and **Judith Krieger Gardner**, Kerith, on Feb. 9; to Jim and **Christina (Bonnie) Bagley Lehigh**, Mark Jonathan, on Feb. 26; to Charles and **Carolyn Parker Haas**, Jeffrey, in April; to Bill and **Elizabeth Kimball MacLean**, Rachel Anne, on Apr. 27; to Leopold and **Sheila Raymond Damrosch** identical twin sons, John Stephen and Christopher Raymond, on May 13.

After a honeymoon in Greece, Dick and **Suzette Smith Faux** live in London. **Marilyn Ellman** spent the summer in Portugal, Madrid and London. Dick and I chatted with **Pamela Goodwin Binks** while she was on a visit to the U.S. from her home in Australia. Over July 4 weekend Pam saw former roommates, **Virginia Budarz Rack** and **Joanne Vleides**,

both now living in the Washington area. **Rosemary Raban Lichtman** and husband Allan moved to Cal. Allan is interning at Santa Clara Valley Med. Center in San Jose. **Barrie Butler Cosmides** still works for Baby Action in the Los Angeles area. Bill and **Susan Hackenburg Trethewey** moved to Chicago where Bill is a general supervisor with U.S. Steel. Rick and **Sarah Breckenridge Knauff** live in Hartford. Rick is an intern at the U. of Conn. med. center. After teaching physiology labs in Cleveland for 2 years, Sarah enjoys her leisure caring for Betsy 2½. **Zoe Ticebock Moore** and John moved to Fort Devens, Mass. from Silver Spring, Md. since John finished his dental internship for the Army; he has 2 more years of active duty as a dentist. Jim and **Bonnie Bagley Lehigh** moved to Pa. where Jim is instructor at U. of Pa. Med. Sch. Dave and **Platt Townsend Arnold** live in Miami; Dave is supply officer for the C.G. Dave and Charles Haas just graduated from the Naval Post Grad. Sch. of Business at Monterey. Charles and **Carolyn Parker Haas** moved to Washington. **Allison McGrath Burchell** works with her own company, Prince Street Players Ltd. and with WCBS-TV. In addition to color specials for CBS, they do live theatrical tours all over the country. Last summer they played at more than 40 NYC housing projects for which they received a special citation from the city. Allison's husband Dick is with U.S. Lines Inc. and sails as chief engineer. **Barbara Brodsky Rothbart** displayed her sculptures at several large galleries, numerous shows, and by special invitation, at Expo 67. Although Barbara started in more conventional art mediums, she feels that metal best expresses her feelings now. Her work with 3-dimensional form has led to kinetic sculpture. **Donna Richmond Carleton** visited **Elizabeth Kimball MacLean** in San Antonio. Betsy's husband Bill teaches at the Medical Field Service School at Fort Sam Houston. Donna's husband Bill does space research at Brooks School of Aerospace Med. U.S. Air force. **Kirk Palmer Senske** and Bill spent the summer in Charlotte, N.C. while Bill worked for an industrial textile firm. Back in Cambridge, Bill is in his 2nd yr. at Harvard Business Sch. and Kirk has been chosen to head the HBS Wives' Club, fun as well as a challenge.

**1965 Correspondent:**  
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'70, OUR reunion—make it the best!  
Married: **Laurie P. Maxon** to Norman Katz on Aug. 17; **Barbara Mitchell** to Dr. Melvin D. Levine on Sept. 2, 1968; **Merry Margaret Usher** to Charles Robert Rothbard on June 2; **Susan Nishijima** to Gerald Tomaneck Jr. on May 17, 1968; **Anne Doughty** to Charles Bunting on June 28; **Regina Herold** to John Eric Mynttinen on June 17, 1967; **Susan Foley** to Michael Jamieson in November 1968; **Ronda Peck** to Charles Johnson on July 5; **Barbara (Bonnie) Beach** to Reverend Peter Hunt Meek; **Ann Yellott** to Peter Laska on Mar. 22; **Barrie Mynttinen** to Michael Pribyl in August.  
Born: to Douglas and **Deborah Camp Baldwin**, Tracey, on Mar. 13; to Miles and **Carolyn Lewis Jennings**, Sarah; to Jim and Catherine Fullerton Stenzel, Erick Walden, on Apr. 2.

**1966 Correspondent:**  
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Married: **Charlotte Kling** to Howard Goldberg on June 19, 1966; **Susan Bowles** to David M. Kelly on Sept. 9, 1967; **E. Theresa Miller** to John F. Melvin on Oct. 28, 1967; **Roxcy Platte** to John Goodman; **Johanna Marschner** to James



Wm. Gwinn; **Karen G. Brainerd** to Armand R. Benoit on Apr. 25; **Christine E. Upham** to Robert M. Trombly on July 12; **Elizabeth M. Robertson** to James P. Whitters 3rd on July 19; **Linda M. Lawton** to Jonathan Kaplan on Aug. 2; **Leslie C. Long** to Marcus M. Tarkington on Aug. 19; **Lynn A. Goodman** to James Rouse on Sept. 13; **Wendy Warner** to Jose Antonio Reynes 3rd on Apr. 26.

Born: to Joseph and **Leila Mittelman Shepard**, David Lawrence, on Aug. 30; to Paul and **Sara Lee Kadlic**, John Paul 3rd on Sept. 25; to John and **Roxcy Platte Goodman**, Tucker Banks; to Ken and **Ellen Schwartz Allington**, Michael John; to John and **Theresa Miller Melvin**, John Follin Jr.; to Howard and **Charlotte Kling Goldberg**, Joshua Joseph, on Feb. 22; to David and **Susan Bowles Kelly**, Robert Michael, on Apr. 29; to Robert and **Diane Weinstock Meltzer**, Jocelyn Nicole, on May 2; to Andrew and **Mary Lee Johnson Jarema**, Andrew Scott, on May 27; to Bill and **Judith McIntosh Carr**, Laren McIntosh, on Sept. 28.

**Susan Bowles Kelly** is busy in Forest Hills taking care of son Robbie. Husband David is management consultant for Arthur Anderson Co. Sue worked for the Fed. Gov't until Robbie's birth, first for Dept. of Defense, then as a staffing specialist for the Civil Service Commission. **Sara Walbridge** works for IBM in Cambridge. She received the IBM Means Service Award in Feb. and was sent to an Information Exchange Conference last June. **Susan Couch Anderson** lives in Portage, Mich. Husband Arnold is a flight instructor and student of aviation technology at Western Mich. U. and Sue teaches. **Ellen Schwartz Allington** is in Urbana, Ill. while Ken studies civil engineering at U. of Ill., courtesy of the C.G. Son Michael keeps mother busy but Ellen manages part-time tutoring at the Jr. high. **Theresa Miller Melvin's** husband John is with the N.Y. State Urban Development Corp.; they live in NYC. John Jr. is a handful but Tess wrote for a local paper; took a brief job as a pub. rel. copywriter; and this summer did research for a TV special on Communist China. **Leila Mittelman Shepard** is also busy taking care of her son David, but she teaches at Mitchell and reads papers and exams at Conn. **Sara Lee Kadlic** has picked up her art work again, doing tile painting for gift shops in St. Louis. She and Paul bought a house in St. Louis. Have you noticed that the new editor of our *Alumnae News* is **Helen Haase Johnson**, our "graduating grandmother"? **Leslie Long Tarkington** received a master's degree in business administration from U. of Va. Marcus is a Lt. at Lowry Air Force Base in Denver attending intelligence school. **Linda Lawton Kaplan** and Jonathan honeymooned in Scandinavia, and now live in Brookline. Jon is with the Mass. Mental Health Center as a coordinator for community service. Executive Homesearch (a nat'l real estate service for relocating transferring corporation staff) announced the appointment of **Betsy Litchfield Garvey** as a specialist counselor for the NYC suburban area. Betsy previously with Homeric, Inc., and Homequity, Inc., is a Conn. real estate broker. Robert and **Christine Upham Trombly** live in Vershire, Vt. Chris graduated from Katherine Gibbs in Boston. **Diane Weinstock Meltzer** occupies her time in Great Neck, N.Y. with baby Jocelyn, collecting owls, taking painting and cooking lessons, doing volunteer work at a hospital, and belonging to a book discussion club. She and Bob are still trying to figure out what to do with the 5 rooms of furniture won on a TV show. Howard and **Charlotte Kling Goldberg** honeymooned in Europe and then settled in New Orleans where Howard studies medicine at Tulane U. Charlotte worked at IBM, but now spends her time watching son Joshua and

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HELEN BROGAN, Business Manager

being pres. of the Tulane Med. Wives Ass'n. **Judith McIntosh Carr's** husband Bill made it back from Vietnam on election day '68. When he was in Japan, on 24 hr. notice, Judy and son Chad left for Sasebo and spent nearly a month with him. Now the Carrs are in Columbus, Ohio, where Bill works with the Huntington Bank and Judy cares for 2 children. **Lee Johnson Jarema**, Andy and son Andrew Scott live in Ft. Worth where Andy is at Carswell Air Force Base. **Roxcy Platte Goodman** lives in a 200-year-old house in Marblehead, Mass. and is pres. of the Newcomers' Club and in a crafts group. Husband John is with Polaroid. At a recent coffee given by **Helen Chmela Kent**, Roxcy saw **Barbara Lytton Glover** and **Jane Gullong '67**. **Elizabeth North**, **Janet Matthews Fox** and **Esther Markman** are still in the Boston area. **Cheryl Hermanson** studies in Solvik, Sweden. **Ivana Obst Martire** is at Johns Hopkins in a master's program. Husband Joseph received his M.D. from N.J. College of Med. in June. James and **Johanna Marschner Gwinn** are settling down in the New York suburbs as Jim works for Humble Oil in Pelham. Bridesmaids at **Elizabeth Robertson Whitters'** wedding were **Gail Mageniz**, **Judith Hackstaff** and **Margaret Silliman Hawley**. Jim (a graduate of Choate, Trinity College, and Boston College Law Sch.) served 3 yrs. in the Navy. Betsy has a master's in education and hopes to work with 4-5-year-olds. The Whitterses honeymooned in Wales. Armand and **Karen Brainerd Benoit** live in Hartford, happily settled in married life. **Mary Jane Cotton** spent last summer in Turkey where her fiancé, **Sandy Low**, was asst. director of a Nat'l Geographic Society-U. of Penn. underwater expedition to dig a 2nd-4th cent. Roman shipwreck. Sandy studies for his doctorate in anthropological archaeology at Harvard. Mary Jane had a fantastic summer living outdoors and in tents with Turks and Americans. In Athens she saw **Susan Freiberg**. Susie had been on a dig in Israel and was visiting Greece for the 1st time. This year she is at Harvard's Peabody Museum in archaeology as part of her work toward a master's in museum science. Roommate **Sue Abbe** is finishing this yr. at Harvard Business Sch. **Paula Schwartz**, in Cambridge too, works for Arthur D. Little. **Patricia Dale** is asst. to a N.Y. film producer. **Lynn Kastner** works for Universal Pictures reviewing books, plays and scripts for possible film material; she has been traveling in Europe. We were visited here in Hawaii this past yr. by 2 classmates. **Lois MacLellan Klee** spent a week prior to her husband's arrival for R and R from Vietnam in May. The Navy has Tim now in Philadelphia and the Klees live in N.J. **Elizabeth Leach** dropped in on Hawaii in October. She is in advertising in Boston, working for American Internat'l Travel Service that pioneered low cost tours to Hawaii. She returned to Boston with a nice tan, having seen lots of sun and surf with friends made while living here a few yrs. ago. **Lynn Goodman Rouse's** wedding was an informal garden wedding of sunshine, bare feet, flowers and fun. Jim is a graduate of Harvard Business Sch. who now works for Adams and Swett in Boston owned by **Susan Abbe's** family.

1967 Correspondent:

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Married: **Joan Redmund** to Jonathan J. Margolis on June 15; **Margaret Marshall** to Stephen R. Burt on July 12; **Anne Shulman** to Jan Barry Rozen in March; **Marjorie Singer** to Richard Yarmuth on Mar. 29; **Catherine Maddock** to William Lawrence on



May 5; **Faith Jackson** to Richard Wadhams Jr. on Sept. 27.

Born: to Michael and **Tama Mokotoff Bernstein**, Marne, on June 12; to Robert and **Martha Wagner Newman**, Ann Elizabeth, on Apr. 10.

#### 1968 Correspondent:

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Hightstown, N.J. 08520

Married: **Esperanza Lau** to James A. Nee; **Ann Umpleby** to Thomas Wilcox, Jr.; **Pamela Berky** to Peter K. Webb; **Nancy Gilbert** to Stephen Murphy; **Leatrice Goodman** to Thomas A. McLaughlin; **Stephanie Hirsch** to John B. Meyer; **Deborah Hitchcock** to Richard C. Enck; **Judith Keller** to Graham Chynoweth; **Catherine Pan** to George A. Flanigan; **Marilyn Richardson** to William F. Kidder Jr.; **Noelle Tournier** to Louis W. Anson Jr.; **Susan Alderman** to Louis Zinterhofer; **Marguerite AuWerter** to William B. Shepard Jr.; **Elena Fasano** to Douglas Battenberg; **Lynn Miles** to David M. Busse; **Lucinda Dalzell** to William B. Pitt; **Suzanne Sanborn** to Patrick M. Redmond; **Mary Clarkson** to Bruce L. Phillips; **Joan K. Ames** to Asa J. Berkowitz; **Kathleen Heneage** to John G. Anderson; **Lynda Mauriello** to J. A. Franklin; **Katharine Hensler** to Kenneth E. White.

Born: to Paul and **Deborah Ewing Gorman**, Rachael Carrie, on July 30; to David and **Jade Schappals Walsh**, Eileen, in March; to William and **Kathleen Dowling Byxbee**, William Edward Collin, on Sept. 19; to Robert and **Lauren Brahm Resnick**, Andrew Scott, on July 23; to John and **Judith Jones McGregor**, John Stratton II, on Sept. 10; to Thomas and **Susan Sharkey Hoffman**, David Alan, on Sept. 20.

**Esperanza Lau Nee** lives in Fort Worth, Tex. where she works as a French translator and ass't to the regional sales mgr. of the Texas Refinery Corp. After working for an exporter for a year, **Roberta Ward** does full-time work and study in astrology and tarot, psychology and related fields at Berkeley. She is writing and organizing an astrology page for the San Francisco *Good Times* and is a member of the Astrologer's Reference Center in Berkeley. **Fredricka Chapman McGlashan** and Doug moved to Southwick, Mass. in May with the Navy. In January they move to New London where Doug will continue his sub training. Ricki is substitute teaching. In Boston **Marilyn Richardson Kidder** is ass't to the v-pres. of Emerson College. Husband Bill is with officer training at the First Nat'l Bank of Boston. Bill and **Heather Marcy Cooper** are in Taiwan until Nov. '70. Heather helped direct an activities program for American children there. This fall she will work with the Double Ten Day Committee which raises funds for gifts for Chinese servicemen. She writes, "Working on the committee will be particularly exciting because it offers the rare opportunity to visit Quemoy." **Marian Bruen** began med. sch. at Columbia after spending most of the summer traveling through Europe. **Francine Wattenberg** was transferred from the Overseas Division to the Corporate Advisory Dept. of the NYC First Nat'l Bank. **Judith Keller Chynoweth** is an ass't residence director at B.U. and part-time student in the Grad. Sch. of Educ. Judy's husband, an ensign in the C.G., is finishing a 10-month tour of duty in Vietnam. **Susan Alderman Zinterhofer** and Louis returned to New Haven after a yr. in Cal. Louis is completing his residency at Yale New Haven Hosp. and Susan works as a reporter. At **Midge AuWerter Shepard's** wedding on June 14, **Elizabeth Sidor Hanley** and **Lynda Mauriello Franklin** were bridesmaids. Midge's husband Bill, a Navy officer, is stationed in Norfolk; they live in Virginia Beach. Midge continues work with computer

programming. **Barbara Modeski Holbrook** moved from Key West to Charleston, where Bob is stationed with the Navy. **Iris Chartoff** works for the Spence-Chapin Adoption Service in NYC. **Karen Dunn** and **Eleanor May** were bridesmaids at **Kathleen Heneage Anderson's** wedding. Kathy and John live in Saginaw, Mich. **Georgia Urbano Lanzano** and Michael of Riverdale, N.Y. received their master's degrees from Columbia. Georgia works as reference librarian at Columbia; Michael teaches in a poverty program. Georgia sees **Susan Lasovick** often. Sue studies for a Ph.D. in French at Columbia. **Mary-Elizabeth Walker Jackson** and **Walter** live at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Walter is in the Army. Molly teaches in a dancing school. **Gertrude Glidden Nichols** lives in St. Thomas, V.I. During the summer she and Charles were directors on the staff of HMS AURELIA.

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Write to:  
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Conn. College Alumnae Assoc.  
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**Kathleen Dowling Byxbee**, husband Bill and son William live in Amherst where Bill is a doctoral student. Kathy hopes to begin on an M.A. **Maria Lewis** teaches music at Hillside Elementary Sch. in Hastings-on-Hudson. She received a master's degree in music and N.Y. State teaching certification from Columbia this summer. **Mary Anne Fuller** teaches in the Washington, D.C. Model School division. **Elaine Stewart Auletta** teaches Spanish at Avon High Sch. in Conn. Husband Bob is ass't buyer at Chandler Evans Corp. in West Hartford. Elaine has seen **Claire Wilcox**, who completed her master's at Penn. and teaches at Concord Academy. **Jade Schappals Walsh's** husband David, discharged from the Navy, is now at Harvard Business Sch. While he was at sea, their daughter was born and David didn't see her until 3 mos. later. Jade is a part-time student at B.U., heading for a master's. **Elizabeth Davison** works as an ass't counselor with the Family Service of Phila. handling cases in the agency, and helping a group of 14-16 yr. old girls with emotional problems. **Deane Hancock** lives in Cambridge and takes drawing at the Sch. of the Museum of Fine Arts, and graphics and modern Greek at the Cambridge Center for Adult Education. She plans an extensive trip through southern Europe next yr. **Grace**

**Cashman** works in Boston at the Joint Center for Radiation Therapy as research assistant for Dr. Samuel Hellman. She was a bridesmaid with **Patricia Bethel** and **Ellen Feury Levine**, at **Elena Fasano Battenberg's** wedding on Sept. 6. **Kathryn Bard** is at Yale, in an MFA program in sculpture, and lives with **Nita (Nickie) Kalish**. Last March she went to Iran, Istanbul and Greece. After finishing advanced sculpture at St. Martin's Sch. in London last June, she flew to Denmark and Paris where she saw **Corinne Bronfman**. **Betty Barton** works on an M.A. at Trinity. **Stephanie Hirsch Meyer**, married Aug. 22, teaches at Lenox School in NYC. This fall **Katherine Susman** finished her master's thesis (history museum training and American folk culture) and in Nov. became curator of the New Haven Colony Hist. Soc. **Lucille Miller Nickerson** and Bob are in Hawaii, where Bob is in the Navy. Lucille works at Pearl Harbor with the Navy Dept.'s office of civilian manpower management. **Linda Groat** finished an MAT program in history at Yale and now attends courses in graphics and architecture at the Yale School of Arch. **Carol Harding** in London (after 3 mos. in Paris taking French) writes, "All those courses in English literature must have helped me, if only to make all these places in London dear and familiar." **Sally Schweitzer Sanders**, of *The Redding Pilot* in Georgetown, Conn. writes, "I was surprised this week when I came across a picture of former dean Sally Trippe '52 in a collection of photos from the annual Redding-Easton tennis tournament. I made sure that it was one we used for the paper." **Helen Reynolds** continues her graduate work at SMU in Dallas and is also a graduate instructor facing classes of 40 college sophomores. **Josephine (Peppy) Martin Ober** and Rick spent 9 wks. touring Europe. This fall they moved to Phila. where Peppy began the Ph.D. program in history at Bryn Mawr. **Adrienne Bergman Beebe** was a bridesmaid at **Mary Clarkeson Phillips'** wedding. Mary continues her work as a government mathematician and Bruce is a law student at George Washington U.; they live in Bladensburg, Md. **Allyson Cook Gall** and Martin will leave Cambridge after Martin receives his Ph.D. from MIT. Allyson's research at Harvard Med. Sch. is a success and she was published in the *Journal of Cell Biology*. They are applying to Vista. **Barbara Rand Clark** now lives in Rockville, Md. where Jon works for a landscape nursery and takes business administration courses. **Jane Radcliffe** is in a master's program in American history and historical museum work sponsored by the U. of Conn. and Old Sturbridge Village. **Susan Feigl Lukens**, husband Bob and daughter Whitney will return to N.J. in January; Bob was promoted. **Sharon Mairson**, in Korea, is a Red Cross worker at the 121st Evacuation Hosp. an hour outside Seoul. At **Suzanne Sanborn Redmond's** wedding, **Dianne Sanborn Allman** was matron of honor and **Margaret Frost Crumb** and **Allyson Cook Gall** were bridesmaids. Suzanne is at Temple U., a candidate for a master's. She teaches at Vane Jr. High in Phila. Husband Pat is at U. of Penn. Dental Sch. **Polly Leonard Keener** and Bob are back in Akron where Bob is a broker with Bache & Co. Polly had a show of her paintings and etchings at a local gallery. She collects 19th and 20th cent. European paintings and American etchings. **Helen Benedict** now works on her Ph.D. in child development at Yale. **Brooke Johnson Suter** finished her MAT at Yale and teaches for the Conn. Dept. of Correction, "euphemistically renamed Montville Correctional Center." George and **Catherine Pan Flanigan** were married at the C.G. Acad. chapel the day after George graduated. They camped across the country and then flew to Hawaii, where George is stationed. Cathy does volunteer



work at Kapisilani Maternity Hosp. and takes courses at U. of Hawaii. **Katharine Hensler White** is back in New Orleans after her wedding in which **Marion Yamin** and **Barbara Brodsky** were bridesmaids. Ken is in his 2nd yr. at LSU Med. Sch. and Kathy teaches. **Carol Fraser** changed depts. within the N.Y. Telephone Co., and now works as a service consultant. **Dorcas Hardy** is back from her project with the Girl Scouts of USA in Pakistan. After Pakistan, Dorcas worked at an Anglican community center outside Nairobi for 4 mos. and took 2 wks. off to explore Tanzania and climb Mt. Kilimanjaro. In the spring she went to Greece, then Paris and Switzerland where she again worked for the Girl Scouts. She then camped through Scandinavia and finished the fantastic year by spending 2 mos. as the program director of a French co-ed camp. **Nancy Dubin**, who was with Benton & Bowles, now works with Robert Riger at the Nob Hill Mob. Ltd. Her photographic assignments include coverage of Arnold Palmer for which she flew to Pittsburgh; she also free lances. Jeff and I are at Peddie School again where he teaches English. I, temporarily retired from teaching, am an editor at Resource Pub. Inc., in Princeton.

Married: **Jane Ayers** to Stephen Bruce on Aug. 9; **Rebecca Brown** to Kevin Foley on Sept. 6; **Judith B. Coburn** to James H. Klein on July 21; **Gail A. Gerleman** to Eric Langeloh on June 28; **Martha Harris** to Stephen Soule on Aug. 16; **Julia Henry** to Kenneth McPartlin on June 28; **Laurie Hershman** to Richard Dickerson on July 27; **Carol Macalister** to Craig A. Reynolds on June 10; **Linda McGilvray** to Ronald Walker on June 21; **Molly Shannon** to Harry Osborne on Sept. 6; **Louise Thomas** to Richard Kemper; **Prudence Wilson** to Robert Barton in Sept.; **Nancy Chockley** to William R. Seelbach on June 28; **Deborah Whitlock** to Pat Madden on Aug. 16.

**Lynda Ginsburg** spent her 2nd summer on a dig in Israel. She describes it as "stuck" on top of a mountain with 130 great people—what could be better? She now continues her major at Union Theological Seminary in NYC. **Carol Bunevich** after spending the summer in an Israel kibbutz, has now returned and is in Boston. **Laura Davenport** takes night courses towards her master's and works at MIT in phage genetics. **Anne Bonniol**, who lives with Laura, is an ass't trader in municipal bonds at the First Nat'l Bank of Boston. **Helen Harasimowicz**, also sharing the apartment, takes economics and math night courses and works at New England Mutual Life Insurance Co. teaching educationally disadvantaged Puerto Rican and Spanish employees of the company. **Jane Tarlow** works at MIT in the creative photo. lab. **Carol Farley** is at Harvard Law School as an ass't to 2 profs., finally finding a use for constitutional law! **Harriet Tatman** also works at Harvard, in the Am.

Hist. Dept. **Constance Hassell** graduated on Oct. 7 from United American Stewardess School in Chicago and now flies for United out of Cal. **Bettina Scott** spent this summer getting certified and now teaches retarded children in Phila. **Nancy Schoenbrod** and **Carol Hunter** were last heard from in Cheyenne on their cross country trip with a destination of Cal. **Alice Wellington** headed straight for Cal. and now lives in San Francisco. **Nancy Cuff** has left for training in the Peace Corps to go to her assignment in Korea. **Anne Hutchinson** joined the Peace Corps in Ghana. **Ellen Lougee** and faithful companion Tekoe (who almost classifies as a Conn. graduate) is straightening out all the problems of Wallingford government in her job in Wallingford City Planning. **Barbara Pite** finds the M.A.T. program at Brown challenging; she is practice teaching this semester in the intern program and managing to keep ahead of her students. **Linda McGilvray Walker** left her Florida home of 2 mos. to go with Ron to his new station in San Diego. **Betsey Stone**, **Marilyn Weast** and **Ruth Kunstadt** live together in Boston. Betsey works as a Girl Friday while Ruth studies at B.C. for her master's and Marilyn, aspiring to be a business woman, is getting her M.B.A. at B.U. **Karen Dorros** lives in NYC with **Cynthia MacDonald** and **Page Brown** and works at NYU Med. Sch. in research psychology. **Anne Liverant** works at Mass. Gen. Hosp. in research in the endocrine unit. **Katherine Montgomery** is in the master's program at Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Study. She lives with **Kathryn Riley**, who is getting her M.A. in political science at George Washington U.

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Mail before February 15, 1970 to:

Mrs. C. V. Brush (Eloise Stumm '42), chairman  
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1961	Winona F. Young '19	1965	Marion Nichols Arnold '32
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1963	Charlotte Frisch Garlock '25	1968	Winifred Nies Northcott '38
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Principal Balance as of July 1, 1968	\$28,510.78
Plus:	
Addition of gifts to principal	20.00
Capital gains distribution	540.95
Principal Balance as of June 30, 1969	\$29,071.73
Connecticut College Alumnae Scholarship Fund's share of earnings from Pooled Endowment Investments during 1968-1969	\$ 1,962.05

September 29, 1969

Richard S. Lewis  
Treasurer and Controller

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Connecticut College Alumnae Association  
New London, Connecticut

### Statement of Encumbrances and Expenditures

Accounts	Budget Allotment	Underexpended or (Overexpended Adjusted)
Salaries	\$33,432.03	(\$1,052.43)
Travel	10,400.00	2,278.41
Operating	8,360.00	( 589.48)
Alumnae News	18,017.60	( 1,505.10)
Alumnae Council	360.00	( 176.46)
Reunion & Alumnae College	1,500.00	1,487.85
Annual Alumnae Giving Program	3,500.00	577.42
Equipment	1,613.89	158.99
Alumnae Award	250.00	34.94
Accounting & Legal	500.00	( 35.00)
Contingency	250.00	196.83
Totals	\$78,183.52	\$1,375.97
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### Statement of Savings

Restricted Savings Accounts	\$47,403.85
Unrestricted Savings Accounts	8,575.74
Reserved Retirement Account	5,368.46
	<u>\$61,348.05</u>

Based on a review of the Treasurer's records  
and bank statements the above uncertified state-  
ments reflect all budgeted expenses and also cash  
balances in the savings accounts for the fiscal  
year ended June 30, 1969.

New London, Conn.  
October 13, 1969

/s/ Michael J. DeVito  
Public Accountant



